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NEW DEADLOCK IS REACHED BETWEEN CARRIERS AND MEN

Hope for Peaceful Settlement Not Abandoned in Washington.

GENERAL CONFERENCE CALLED

President Will Meet the 640 Men Who Represent the Four Brotherhoods in an Effort to Reach Agreement; No Engagement With the Officials.

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—President Wilson decided today to postpone further conferences with the representatives of the railroads and their men on the threatened railroad strike until tomorrow, when he will receive the general committee of 640 workmen in the East Room of the White House.

In the meantime the committee of managers here and the general committee of the men will meet to discuss plans now before them.

The President, through Judge William L. Chambers of the federal board of mediation and conciliation, will keep in close touch with the representatives of both sides. No engagement has been made for the managers' committee, but it is probable the President will see them tomorrow.

The plan on which the President is working is to put into effect the eight-hour day and have a federal commission investigate collateral issues. Details of the plan have not been worked out, but it was said to be possible that if the railroads conceded an eight-hour day, the men will be urged to give up their demands for time and a half over time.

The proposed commission's investigation would not have power to enforce any decision, but would investigate all of the questions in the controversy and make recommendations.

The halt in negotiations has been caused primarily by the fact that the brotherhood leaders, who have been meeting with the President, have no plenary powers and have to refer all important questions to their general committee in New York.

Mr. Wilson decided time would be saved and better results achieved if all members of the general committee were brought to Washington and met him directly; therefore, it was decided to hold a meeting on Thursday.

The committee of managers remained in session almost continuously today discussing the conference with the President and the suggestions outlined. It was stated that negotiations are now in such form that definite decision may be made by both sides before the end of the week.

Administration officials would not predict the outcome of the negotiations because everything depends on the decision of the managers and the men. It was stated that for the present the situation was at a deadlock, but hope for a peaceful settlement had not been abandoned.

Among the railroad managers today there was a discussion of a proposal for some sort of a permanent commission to consider all railway disputes in the future and that it should begin with the present one. Whether it should be a semi-private tribunal, organized by agreement between the railroads and the men, was not made clear, but there seemed to be some sentiment in favor of having it created by act of Congress in the nature of an enlargement of the present board of mediation and conciliation. It was not made clear whether President Wilson was considering the idea or not.

Brotherhood leaders would not say whether a compromise might be reached by putting an eight-hour day into effect for six months for a trial, and allowing pro-rata pay for overtime, as had been suggested, but they said that such a system would have decided advantages over the one under which they are now working.

Under that plan a man earning $4 in 10 hours would make the same amount in eight hours, and overtime would start at 50 cents an hour instead of 40 cents. Thus, at the end of 10 hours, he would have earned $5 instead of $4, as he now earns, and be getting one and one-quarter pay for overtime.

WILL ACCEPT INVITATION.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The invitation of President Wilson to the 640 general chairmen of the railroad brotherhoods to meet him in Washington and consider his proposals for settlement of the threatened railroad strike was accepted by the men today and announcement made that they would leave early this afternoon on special trains over the Baltimore & Ohio for Washington. The invitation was conveyed to the men by W. S. Carter, head of the firemen's brotherhood, who addressed them at a fully attended meeting.

"No organization can afford to ignore an invitation from the President of the United States," were the words used by the man who moved to accept the invitation and the motion was accepted unanimously.

SNAKE BITE FATAL.

Taxidermist of Carnegie Institute Dies From Poison.

By Associated Press.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 16.—Bitten on the hand while showing a den of rattle snakes to a class of students from the University of Pittsburg yesterday, Gustav Link, for 19 years taxidermist at Carnegie Institute here, died in a hospital today.

Link concealed the fact that he had been bitten until after the class left the room, when he told his assistants. He was hurried to a hospital and, there being no serum in the city to counteract the poison, two tubes were ordered from New York.

Attacks Paper Trust.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Senator Martine assailed the so called paper trust on the floor of the Senate because of the high price of news print paper, and submitted an amendment to the revenue bill to place news print paper and materials entering into it on the free list of the tariff.

Plague Cases Decrease.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—A slight decrease in deaths and new cases in the epidemic of infantile paralysis was noted today. During the 24 hours preceding 10 a. m. the plague killed 34, while 113 were stricken.

Man Killed on B. & O.

A man believed to be Charles B. McKain, a printer of Morgantown, W. Va., was found unconscious along the Baltimore & Ohio tracks at Scott Haven this morning. He died enroute to the McKeesport Hospital.

Two Submarines Coming.

LONDON, Aug. 166.—Two new German submarines of very large size will depart shortly for America, says a dispatch from The Hague.

358,000 TAKEN IN BIG DRIVE

Russians Claim Huge Gains Since Starting Their Newest Offensive Movement.

By Associated Press.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 16.—Between June 4, when the Russian offensive was inaugurated, and August 12, General Brussiloff's forces captured more than 358,000 men, the war office announced today.

The Russians have captured a series of heights to the west of Zorokhpa, in the Carpathians. The Austrians are retiring to the west.

BUCHAREST, Aug. 16.—The Epoca announces that Germany has offered territorial compensation to Rumania at the expense of Austria in return for Rumanian neutrality in the war.

PARIS, Aug. 16.—A violent bombardment was carried on last night on the Verdun front at Thiaumont, Fleury and Vaux, east of the Meuse. Along the greater part of the front the night passed quietly, the official report issued today says.

FARMERS TOUR THE COUNTY TO INSPECT LIVESTOCK OUTLOOK

Get Some Splendid Pointers During Automobile Trip.

THE FARM BUREAU HAS CHARGE

Agents of Fayette, Westmoreland and Greene Counties Accompany Party, as Does State College Expert; Farmers are Now Forging Well to Fore.

With "More Stock and Better Stock for Fayette County" as their slogan, nearly 200 farmers made an automobile inspection tour through the agricultural section of the county yesterday. Throughout the whole trip the idea that live stock are good for the farm, both for the profit they bring in themselves and for the added fertility of the soil, was expounded again and again, and firmly impressed on the mind of everyone present.

The farmers left Uniontown in their automobiles at 7.30, traveling over 50 miles during the day. At the beginning of the tour there were 25 cars in line, but as parties were constantly joining in the procession on the way, the number soon reached 40.

At all times the affair seemed just like a big farmers' picnic. In addition to the interest aroused in the improvement of live stock, the tour was a success because of the "get-together" spirit in engendered.

State Senator William E. Crow, who is very much interested in live stock, began the trip, but was forced to leave when only half the route had been covered because of a business engagement in New York. Senator Crow is chairman of the live stock committee of the farmers' association.

A picturesque figure was that of James R. Shoaf, said to be the oldest sheep man in Fayette county. Mr. Shoaf, who lives in Nicholson township, is 74 years old. He has been farming all his life and is still engaged in agriculture. For some 40 years Mr. Shoaf specialized in sheep raising, and now he has done away almost entirely with his sheep, for that trade has been practically ruined in this section of the county by the depredations of the dogs.

"I have had as many as 44 sheep killed in one night by dogs," said Mr. Shoaf, "and until new dog laws are made there will be no raising of sheep in Fayette county."

L. F. Engle, farm agent for Westmoreland county, and G. H. Bedell, farm agent for Greene county, were among those who made the trip.

Led by Farm Agent P. E. Daugherty, the automobiles left Uniontown at 7.30 going at once to the farm of E. S. Hackney, where pure bred jersey cattle were inspected. Mr. Hackney took the visitors into his barn, which is a model. It contains all modern appliances and is clean and light, being constructed on scientific principles. Mr. Hackney spoke briefly, telling something of the pedigree of each of his cows. He emphasized the importance of persistency in breeding, saying that nothing could be done without patience.

The next farm visited was that of W. M. Thompson. Mr. Thompson exhibited his shorthorn cattle. He explained why he preferred the shorthorns, enumerating the different breeds of beef cattle and telling of the advantages of each breed. Dr. H. H. Havener of Pennsylvania State College was then introduced by Mr. Daugherty and asked to talk on livestock. Dr. Havener spoke on the importance of keeping livestock, emphasizing the fact that it is an economical way to improve the soil. Mr. Daugherty then asked the farmers to compare the farms they passed along the route where livestock are kept, with those where they are not, and to decide which had the better crops.

At this farm the corn variety tests were inspected. The county farm bureau is conducting these tests to discover which kind of corn is best adapted to conditions in this county. All in all, Mr. Daugherty said, he believes that the Bayard or Porter varieties are best. Eight kinds were planted on Mr. Thompson's farm, and when the time comes all the farmers will be called in to help husk the corn. Then they can decide for themselves just what kind of corn they ought to plant.

At the farm of B. B. Baird, near Adah, more pure bred shorthorns were examined. Mr. Baird said that his cattle were not so good now as he wished, but that within a few years he thought he would have the very best grade in the county. "The idea," he said, "is to breed up and get better and better cattle."

Dr. Havener pointed out at Baird's farm that beef cattle raising was an especially good proposition just now when farm labor is so hard to get, for a large number of beef cattle can be handled by a very few men. Very little equipment is needed.

Mr. Baird exhibited a white bull which he is particularly proud of. The bull comes from the best stock and is a prize winner. Two Belgian mares were also trotted out for inspection by the visitors. One of the mares is a pure bred Belgian, and is the only one in this section of the county.

The automobiles moved on to C. W. Porter's place near Heistersburg,

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SECURE LOW RATES

Railroads to Run Special Trains to Dawson for Fayette Fair.

Special rates have been secured from the railroads for the Fayette County Fair at Dawson, September 12-16. The Pittsburg & Lake Erie will run special trains from Brownsville, Fayette City, Newell and Perryopolis on the thirteenth and fourteenth and the Baltimore & Ohio will sell special excursion tickets from Pittsburg, Point Marion and Rockwood and intermediate points on all four days of the fair.

Joe Nirella's band will play on the 12 and 13 and the Connellsville Military Band on the 14 and 15. There will also be a midway this year, with high class attractions, in addition to the agricultural exhibits and the Lake Erie Trotting Club races.

SEEK REPARATION

Asquith Declares Germany Must Pay For Slaying Fryatt.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today, Premier Asquith said the government was determined that "this country will not tolerate a resumption of diplomatic relations with Germany after the war until reparation is made for the murder of Captain Fryatt."

"Some of our allies," he said, "have suffered by brutalities even more gross and on a more extended scale than ourselves by action of the German authorities. We are in consultation with them as to the most effective steps to be taken and as to what condition should be expected in the terms of peace to secure reparation that will satisfy justice."

SHE'S A BEAR

Guide and Cook Badly Clawed in Battle With Grizzly.

By Associated Press.

CODY, Wyo., Aug. 16.—Ned Frost, a guide, and Ed. Jones, a cook, were brought here today suffering from injuries received in a battle with a female grizzly bear near the Lake Hotel in Yellowstone National Park Monday night.

According to their story, Jones caught the bear raiding the commissary and attempted to frighten it away. The animal was mauling Jones when Frost came to the rescue. Both were badly clawed before the bear was frightened away by approaching tourists. The injured men will recover.

UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Miss Mae King is in Critical Condition as Result.

Miss Mae King of South Prospect street was operated upon for appendicitis yesterday at the South Side Private Hospital and is said to be in a critical condition. It was a second attack and developed very suddenly.

Miss King is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hugh King. Her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John King, who are spending their honeymoon in Atlantic City, have been summoned home.

READ A GOOD PAPER

Guardsmen Send Pictures Showing How Welcome The Courier Is.

Picture postcards in large numbers have been received by local people from members of Company D, Tenth Regiment, now encamped near El Paso, Tex.

One of these shows Bert Ritchey and Buck Smith eagerly perusing a copy of The Courier. By the way they are going at it, they must have started at the front page and read every word and are now noting the bargains in the ads on the back page.

Mine Workers Help.

CHARLESTON, Aug. 16.—The United Mine Workers today sent committees into the flood districts to give what aid they could in restoring normal conditions. They will work in connection with the military and civic organizations now in the field.

Seeks a Divorce.

UNIONTOWN, Aug. 16.—Samuel Van Gilder of Percy began suit for divorce today against Mrs. Alta Victoria Van Gilder. They were married May 13, 1913 at Oakland, Md. Desertion August 25, 1914, is alleged.

Go Into Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marietta and son, and Monroe Marietta left this morning for Tub Run near Confluence to camp. Later they will be joined by parties from Pittsburg and Connellsville.

War On Trespassers.

Baltimore & Ohio police have undertaken a campaign against trespassers. A dozen men arrested were given salty sentences at McKeesport Monday.

Weather Forecast

Generally fair tonight; warmer in south portion; Thursday fair, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record

	1916	1915
Maximum	79	87
Minimum	62	68
Mean	79	78

The Yough river dropped from 1.50 to 1.40 feet during the night.

CITY COUNCIL TO PURCHASE TEAMS FOR GARBAGE MAN

Board of Health is Also to Canvass Town for Subscribers.

COMPULSORY SERVICE PROPOSED

Rates are Likely to be Boosted and Everybody Made to Pay; Walter Artis Will be Given Two Months in Which to Repay Money Expended.

City Council will back Walter Artis, who at present composes the "garbage company," in his efforts to work out an efficient system of garbage collection. At a meeting last night it was decided to buy four new horses and one new wagon, so that four wagons may be collecting all the time. The use of these will be given to Mr. Artis for two months and he has the privilege of buying them at the end of that time, if increased revenues make it possible. The Board of Health will also stand behind the garbage collector and compel everyone in the city to subscribe for collection service and pay a reasonable rate for it.

Director of Public Safety M. B. Pryce, Health Officer George Hetzel and the garbage collector's clerk will hire a conveyance and make a complete canvass of the city. Each family and business place will be required to show how its garbage is disposed of. Those who allow it to accumulate and then hire an outside teamster to haul it away will be required to subscribe for twice-a-week service from the authorized collector. Those who make away with their garbage in some other way will also be compelled to take service. Otherwise, prosecutions will follow and the mayor will impose heavy fines upon the offenders.

In this way, the Board of Health proposes to increase the garbage company's customers from the 540 now taking service to something near the 2,500 or more that ought to. Dr. C. W. Utts, president of the board, admitted that it would be a big undertaking to bring this about, but declared that it could be done.

It developed during the discussion that the garbage collectors have been imposed upon to a large extent, to such degree in fact that good service was impossible.

"It seems that you have been imposed upon," Mr. Duggan told Walter Artis, "but it has been your own fault, for you should have reported those things."

Mr. Artis stated that there are few garbage receptacles of the proper kind in the city and not many are placed where the drivers can get at them conveniently. In some places, he said, they are in cellars; in other places perched high on fire escapes. His men, he declared, have absolutely refused to climb up and down the fire escapes for the garbage cans. In some places the collectors have to go in cellars or vacant rooms and shovel up the garbage.

"I have one butcher shop," Artis declared, "where I have to go into a vacant room and shovel up a load of garbage every day, and they pay me only $4 a month."

Those who have cans or other receptacles, Artis stated, put everything into them, stones, brickbats, cans, hedge fence and grass.

"If you don't take it," he said, "they won't pay you. If you miss once or twice a month, they won't pay. Lots of people hold their garbage for a couple of weeks and then expect us to remove it for 25 cents."

It was shown that the garbage collectors had to put up with much unfair competition. Storekeepers haul their own garbage to the plant and want it burned free, he said, and if their request is refused they take it to a vacant lot outside of the city limits and dump it. Others discontinue the garbage company's service and have a teamster cart it away when a load has accumulated.

Artis was told to report all of these cases to the Health Officer, who will immediately make arrests.

Artis asked council whether the extreme end of Isabella road was in the city. He was told that it was not, so those residences will be cut off from city service unless they pay a reasonable charge to have their garbage removed.

A complete revision of rates will be made. The cost to private families will likely be increased to 75 cents a month. An increased charge will be made for service to the hotels and big business houses, and more will be charged for cleaning cesspools.

It will cost approximately $600 to provide the garbage collectors with additional equipment. This will be paid out of Appropriation 49, Superintendent of Accounts and Finance L. L. West assured the councilmen that there was enough money in that fund.

A contract to provide 50 books for the assessor was awarded to The News for $13.25.

All councilmen were present except Mr. Guynn. Another meeting will be held next Monday night.

Sent to Morganza.

Nina Marie Hardin of Smithfield was committed to the Pennsylvania Training School at Morganza by Judge Reppert. The girl, who is 13, was charged with incorrigibility by her half-brother, Henry Hardin.

START ON HIGH SCHOOL DELAYED

Buildings Which Stood Upon the Site Have Not Yet Been Removed.

Delay in razing the Freed and Armstrong properties on Fairview avenue is preventing Laurence & Critchfield from getting an early start upon the new high school building. J. A. Laurence, a member of the firm, is in Connellsville seeking a residence as he will make his home here during the construction of the building.

"We want to get started as soon as possible," Mr. Laurence told a Courier reporter, "but they are pulling down those houses very slowly. We wanted to start in next Monday but I don't think we can."

Mr. Critchfield, the other member of the firm, will also spend much of his time in Connellsville after he finishes up a church contract at Hyndman. This is now nearing completion.

Mr. Laurence indicated that the firm might sublet the excavation work. He said it will be necessary to import labor for the construction of the building.

THE FIRST ARREST

Dumping Garbage in Street Costs Murphy Avenue Man $5.

The first arrest made in the Board of Health's campaign against those who neglect to have their garbage collected was made yesterday. H. Rody of Murphy avenue, who threw his garbage into the street, was taken in charge by Health Officer George Hetzel and was given a hearing in police court this morning. Mayor Marietta imposed a $5 fine upon him.

Health Officer Hetzel says that similar arrests will be made from this time on unless everyone cleans up at once. Any practices such as throwing garbage into the streets instead of having it collected by the garbage company wil lresult in heavy fines placed upon the offender.

SUSPECTS NABBED

Three Negroes, Police Say, May be Wanted for Murder.

Three negroes were arrested last night by Patrolmen Rulli and Daugherty on the charge of being suspicious characters. They are suspected of having had a part in the Schnebelen murder in Pittsburg.

A Dawson man called the police here early yesterday evening and advised them that the men had been acting suspiciously in Dawson and that they had left for Connellsville. The policemen caught them on the West Penn car and locked them up at the city hall. When questioned this morning they said that they had come here to work for the Western Maryland. They admitted having been in Pittsburg recently.

AGREE TO SEPARATE.

Man and Wife Take Their Quarrel Before Alderman.

James Stillwagon was given a hearing last evening before Alderman Fred Munk on charges of assault and battery and surety of the peace preferred by his wife, Eva Stillwagon. Stillwagon is 26 years old his wife claims that she is only 15. They have been married about six months.

The couple agreed to separate and will sign the papers tonight. Unless this is done the case will be taken to court. Stillwagon must pay the costs.

Has Injured Leg.

Steve Tirsel of Leisenring, 45 years old, was admitted to the Cottage State Hospital this morning for treatment of an injury to his left leg, suffered about two weeks ago when he fell while at work in the mines.

Prizes on Exhibition.

Prizes for the Merchants' Picnic at Oakford Park on August 22 are on display in the Wallace, Crowley-Mestrezat and Laughrey Drug store windows.

Basket Picnic.

A well-filled special car took members of the Baptist Church to Pennsville this morning for their annual picnic at the Echard farm.

NOTICE IS POSTED FREEING MARRIED MEN IN THE GUARD

Much Red Tape is Required Before They Can Leave the Service.

LOCAL SOLDIERS FILE PAPERS

Willing to Serve Country if There is Fighting to be Done, but Prospect of Months in Camp Fails to Cheer Them; Robinson With the Regulars.

By O. R. Herwick, Staff Correspondent.

CAMP STEWART, El Paso, Aug. 12. The married men of the Tenth Regiment are all excitement today. Notices have been received by company commanders from headquarters in regard to the return home of married men, and these have been posted in the company streets. The notice states the requirements for men having dependents on them. They must secure affidavits of two disinterested parties stating their dependability and these must be accompanied by application of the man wanting to be discharged. Some of the married men who are being paid by their employers are now sorry for the interest of their employers as most of them are very anxious to return. It is understood if they are discharged that their transportation home will be paid by Uncle Sam. There are quite a few in Company D who are wanting to take advantage of the order and some have already started negotiations. They all say they would like to remain if there was action but as they are not now needed they think they ought to be at home. There are many applications in the regiment and some have already gone to General Funston.

Nothing new has developed in regard to the return of college students although it has been rumored that they, too, will be given a chance to go back. They were supposed to have been returned by September 1.

Second Lieutenant John M. Robinson of Company D, left this morning for Fort Bliss, where he is going to take a course of instruction in the 20th Infantry and if he makes good he will be assigned to some regular army company as they are in need of capable officers at all times. The vacancy in Company D will not be filled at the present time, but if the troops remain on the border very long it is intended to fill the vacancy. Captain Herwick and Lieutenant Morton will now have their hands full with their large company. Lieutenant Robinson is a very capable young officer and their is little doubt that he will make good.

The boys are still anxiously awaiting pay day, but they have about begun to think there is no such thing here. They have been looking for it since August 5. It is rumored that a 20 per cent. increase has been granted and that they will get it at this pay, but the boys hardly expect that much.

The sand storms still continue here and the weather is very hot, but the boys are now getting accustomed to things.

Walter Richey, thrown from a horse some days ago and painfully hurt, has fully recovered.

The Wednesday night vaudeville shows are becoming a thing to look forward to. There have been some real performers dug up and things promise to be even better next week. The officers were assessd 50c ach by Boss Joe Thompson to help defray expenses.

Today, Saturday, is our weekly holiday and the regular inspection of quarters took place. Everything was spic and span for about an hour until the sand got in its work.

Sergeant Dilworth has now got his stripes, six of them, and he makes the boys under him step lively. He has more stripes than any other man in the regiment, being in the commissary department.

Ed Steck is still doing fine in the

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HUGHES HAMMERS WILSON POLICIES IN TRIUMPHAL CAMPAIGN TOUR OF WEST

By Associated Press.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 16.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican presidential nominee, arrived in Portland early today. His program includes three receptions, two addresses and an automobile ride over the Columbia River highway.

Mr. Hughes at noon will talk at a luncheon of the Portland Ad Club and a reception at 1.30 follows at the Portland Press Club. From 2 to 6 Mr. and Mrs. Hughes will be taken over the highway and at 9 o'clock Mr. Hughes is to speak at the Ice Palace. He will leave Portland at 1.30 Thursday morning for San Francisco.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 16.—In the most direct utterances which he has made on the subject, Charles E. Hughes yesterday brought a wild cheer of approval from 15,000 persons in the Tacoma stadium when he declared that if any foreign nation refused to respect the "obvious rights" of this country he would not shirk war to enforce them. The "obvious rights" to be guarded, the nominee said, were outlined in the Democratic platform of 1912, which have become historic through the failure of the party to uphold them.

Mr. Hughes confined his remarks almost wholly to what he termed the need for a protective tariff. "I propose a wise tariff without abuses," he said, "but frankly a tariff to build up and maintain American industries."

Mr. Hughes reviewed Democratic legislation and the Democratic platform plank of 1912, relating to the tariff. "Our opponents said they would reduce the cost of living," he said. "Behold the result."

Mr. Hughes referred to a statement issued by Secretary McAdoo soon after the war started in 1914, in which it was announced that $500,000,000 in emergency currency was available to relieve financial stress.

"Our opponents had to resort to a Republican measure of precaution, the Vreeland law," he said, "to still the fear that their policy had engendered among the people of this country. It was that Republican measure that took us through that critical period."

DUNBAR MAN TAKES PART OF BROTHER IN QUARREL AND IS BADLY WOUNDED

George H. Clements of Furnace Hill, Dunbar, was probably fatally stabbed by Jobes Cole at the latter's home about 10 o'clock last night, during a fight which broke up a dance at the Cole house. Clements was brought to the Cottage State Hospital with a gash in his abdomen almost 14 inches across and very deep, and two cuts to the bone in his right arm. His recovery was considered doubtful. A razor was used by Coles, it is said.

Clements, who is 34 years old and has a wife and two children, was a labor foreman at the Yough Sand & Stone Company plant at Dunbar. He and his brother Charles attended the dance at Cole's home near the Dunbar furnace and he is said to have interfered when Charles got into a fight with Cole. Cole is said to have drawn a razor to protect himself from the Clements brothers. George Clements was slashed across the abdomen and the right arm, but Charles escaped without injury, at least none that required medical attention. Coles, who fled after the stabbing, was apprehended at 4 o'clock this morning by County Detective John Smith and taken to Uniontown to await the result of Clements' injuries.

Doctors E. B. Gute and S. C. Dowds of Dunbar dressed Clements' injuries and later brought him to the Cottage State Hospital where an operation was performed. The physicians stated that they rarely come across such a bad cut as that in Clements' abdomen, which was opened for over a foot, exposing the intestines.

Cole is a married man with a wife and two children.

Dawson Grange Growing.

Dawson Grange held an enthusiastic meeting in Grange Hall, lower Tyrone township, last night. Forty-eight members were present and 114 new ones were admitted.

Shot Firer Meets Death.

James Nugent, 61 years old, employed as a shot firer in the Bessemer mines, near Masontown, was instantly killed yesterday morning by a premature explosion of powder.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

At a meeting of the N. C. D. Class of the First Methodist Episcopal Church held last evening at the home of Mrs. Nicholson in Stevens street, plans for a rummage sale to be held early in October were completed. It was also decided to collect papers to be sold for the benefit of the class. Refreshments were served.

The regular monthly business and social meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Protestant Church was held last evening at the home of Miss Grace Mangus near Trotter. At the conclusion of the business meeting a social hour was held and refreshments were served.

A special meeting of the King's Daughters of the Trinity Lutheran Church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. E. R. Kooser in Gallatin avenue. The meeting was well attended. Refreshments were served.

Miss Edith Kooser entertained the W. O. C. Class and members of the Men's Bible Class of the United Brethren Church last evening at her home. Refreshments were served.

Miss Christina Maceyak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maceyak of the West Side, and Andrew Yourik of Monarch, were married this morning at 10 o'clock at St. John's Slavish Catholic Church in the West Side, Rev. Father Ulrich officiated. The bride wore a gown of white crepe-de-chine and georgette crepe and a corsage bouquet of pink rose buds. Her long tulle veil was held in place with a wreath of orange blossoms. The bridal party included Margaret Maceyak and Christina Kremposky as flower girls, Miss Mary Kremposky, maid of honor, Misses Emma Kremposky, Susie Vozar, Katherine Maceyak, Sophia Housek, Anna Onisko, Elizabeth Boza, and Anna Gilak, the latter of Uniontown, as bridesmaids. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride. The wedding will be celebrated this evening at the bride's home with a dance and supper.

The M. E. C. Fancy Work Club meeting which was to have been held tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Fette at Snydertown has been postponed to Thursday evening, August 24.

Miss Marguerite Lytle will entertain tomorrow evening in honor of her guest Miss Dorothy Schmunk of Mars, Pa.

Committees are busy arranging for the annual reunion of the Lincoln-Searing families to be held Saturday August 31, at Shady Grove Park. A large gathering of the clan from all parts of Fayette county and more distant points is expected. J. S. Snyder of Fairmont is president of the association.

Estella Woods was an out of town guest at a birthday party given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Rosanna Smith at her home in Uniontown in honor of the sixth birthday of her granddaughter, Rose Marie Conn.

Miss Mildred A. Blubaugh and Harry A. Stafford both of this city eloped to Cumberland yesterday. The bridegroom is employed by Funeral Director J. L. Stader.

Mrs. Ellen Decker of Connellsville and Matthew Charlton of Fredericktown, were granted a marriage license in Uniontown yesterday. The bride was a cook at the West Penn Tea Room.

The South Connellsville Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Pearl Stewart in South Connellsville.

Lee Etta Lodge 515 Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Markell hall.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Bible Class of the First Methodist Episcopal church which was to have been held tomorrow afternoon has been postponed on account of the Sunday school picnic.

The Bible Class of District No. 14 will meet tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. E. Miller in North Tenth street.

Plans for a hay ride will be made at a meeting of the D. C. Class of the United Presbyterian church to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. It is the regular monthly business meeting and all members are urged to attend.

Wilson B. Nixon of Mount Pleasant and Letitia Cargo of South Greensburg, Edwin J. Schuette of Homestead and Lydia C. Brown of Mount Pleasant were granted marriage licenses in Greensburg yesterday.

Miss Alice Doyle of the West Side and James Houck, clerk at the Union Supply Company store at Trotter, were married this morning at the Immaculate Conception church. The bride up until recently was cashier for the Union Supply Company at Coalbrook. Mr. and Mrs. Houck will spend their honeymoon at Detroit, Mich.

Three applications for membership were received at the regular meeting of the Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccabees held last evening in Maccabee hall. Each member decided to pack an extra lunch box to be auctioned off at the Maccabee picnic to be held tomorrow at Shady Grove park. The boxes will be sold about 5 o'clock. The majority of the local Maccabee ladies will go to the park in the afternoon. The meeting was well attended. At the next regular meeting to be held Tuesday evening, September 5, Sir Knights and their friends are invited. An admission of 15 cents will be charged. Tomorrow a postal card shower will be tendered Mrs. Mary T. Hardwick, district deputy, who has been seriously ill at the home of her daughter at 700 Washington avenue, Wilmington, Del.

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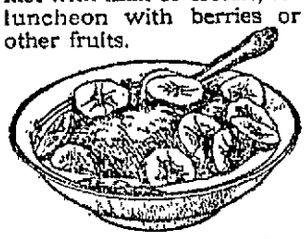

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PERSONAL.

Soisson Theatre today—J. Warren Kerrigan in "The Silent Battle," 5 reels. Robert Henley in "My Lady's Millions," 2 reels. "Beer Must Go Down," comedy. "Rough Riders of India," educational. Tomorrow, "The Iron Claw."—Adv.

Miss Ella Skiff of Edenboro, returned home yesterday, after a visit with friendse here.

C. S. Stanyard will leave tomorrow morning on a vacation trip. Mr. Stanyard will take his family to Alliance, O., and, with his eldest son, will go on to Washington, Baltimore and Norfolk.

Patrolman I. A. Shumaker has returned from his vacation trip, which included visits to Charleroi, Monessen and the Glassport firemen's convention.

"Not the largest store in town, but growing the fastest." Why? Service, style, satisfaction. Brownell Shoe Company.—Adv.

Mrs. Robert Spencer Thomas of New York, is visiting her father, E. H. Marshall of South Pittsburg street. Mrs. Thomas was formerly Miss Eleanor Marshall. Her husband, Captain Thomas, has gone to El Paso, Texas, where he will be located with his command, the U. S. A. Engineering Corps.

Mrs. A. S. Brobst and two children of Pittsburg, are guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Carrie Zimmerman of East Fairview avenue.

All white high shoes or low shoes ⅓ off this week at Downs' Shoe Store. —Adv.

W. K. Highberger of Greensburg, was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Misses Bess and Nora Creedon left yesterday for Atlantic City.

Miss Fannie Wilson returned home last evening from a visit with relatives in Pittsburg. She was accompanied home by her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Wilson, who spent some time with Pittsburg relatives.

Miss Mae Traynor has returned home from Cleveland, O., where she took a summer course at the Cleveland Normal school.

Mrs. G. B. Freed and daughter, Miss Frances are spending two weeks at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stader at McCoys Springs.

Mrs. Martha Cypher of the West Side, left this morning for a visit with her son Edgar Cypher, owner of the Keystone Garage at Bedford. She will also visit her sister, Mrs. Sarah Rickard at Bedford, Pa. and relatives at Everett, Saxton and Huntingdon, Pa.

Sale of high and low shoes for one dollar at C. W. Downs' Shoe Store this week.—Adv.

G. A. Munson, J. C. Munson and Frank Bradford have gone to Confluence to fish.

Mrs. H. B. Pigman visited relatives in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. Edward Buckingham and children of McKeesport, who have been the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. William Trump, and other relatives here will return home this evening.

Miss Cleo Pardoint of Charleroi is the guest of Miss Jennie Cuneo.

Mrs. Caroline Soisson and granddaughters, Miss Angela Stader and Miss Mary Caroline Soisson, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Soisson's brother, John Flicer, in Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. John Sheleline and little daughter Mary Antoinette of Pittsburg have returned home after a visit with Mrs. J. L. Stader at her summer home at McCoy's Springs.

Miss Katherine Gross of Cumberland, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. A. Weaver of South Arch street went to Glenco this morning to visit friends.

Misses Catherine and Hilda Smith went to Berlin this morning for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith and daughters, Mrs. S. E. Mong and Mrs. H. C. Gydeson, the latter of Dallas, Tex., are spending the day at Rogers Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Playford of Uniontown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Snyder last evening.

Mrs. Gustav E. T. Wagner has returned to Pittsburg after a visit with friends here and at Orient. Mrs. Warner will be remembered by her many Connellsville friends as Mrs. Jennie Kert. She recently left a Pittsburg hospital where she underwent an operation.

Miss Sarah Lunnen left this morning for Harrisburg to spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Soisson were guests at St. Charles Hotel, Atlantic City, the past week.

Mrs. W. E. Snowdon and son Ralph and little grandson, Marquis of Scottdale, left Tuesday for Michigan to visit friends. They were accompanied to Connellsville by Mrs. Snowden's daughter, Mrs. Howard Beegle.

Mrs. Samuel Blasey of Broad Ford was the guest of Mrs. Daniel Callagher of the West Side yesterday.

Miss Jeannette Kelly of Wasnington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Beta Sherman of East Main street.

Mrs. Alva Blasey and daughter Urzella have gone to Herbert to visit Mrs. Joseph Bayerl, an aunt of Mrs. Blasey.

Mrs. C. H. Walters of the West Side is visiting friends at Meyerdale today.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hart have moved into the Smutz apartment in Main street, West Side.

Mrs. Thomas Logan and three children of Midland, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Logan of Logan's crossing.

Miss Mary Bower of Pittsburg is visiting friends here.

Miss E. White, milliner at the E. Dunn store, has returned from a several weeks' vacation spent at her home in Chester, W. Va.

FARMERS TOUR THE COUNTY TO INSPECT LIVESTOCK OUTLOOK

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where the farmers were shown a number of pure bred Poland-China hogs. Mr. Porter has one litter of 12 and a very heavy one-year old pig that are special attractions. "That litter of 12 is hard to beat," he said yesterday. Mr Porter exhibits his pigs every year at the Ohio State Fair in Columbus and he expects to take some ribbons this season.

Mr. Daugherty spoke here of the importance of exercise for pigs. He maintains that exercise will make a larger hogs and will also keep away the hog colera. He suggests that where ever possible, pigs be given a large place in which to run.

The visitors arrived at W. J. Stewart's farm near Brownsville at 11.30. Here they inspected the silos, the dairy barn and the herd. Mr. Stewart has the largest livestock farm in the county. He sold his 65 steers a short time ago, and was forced to ship them last week because of the threatened railroad strike, though he had wished to keep them until the farmers had seen them. Mr. Stewart told yesterday just how he keeps and feeds live stock. The visitors were invited to inspect his large silo, which is 11 by 35 and holds 115 tons. His dairy barn is strictly sanitary, and his herd a good one.

At Mr. Stewart's farm an address was made by E. S. Bayard, editor of the National Stockman. Mr. Bayard said that the main reason for keeping live stock is to maintain the fertility of the soil. Regardless of competition with the western farmers, he maintains, farmers of this section can make money on live stock. The government figures which show a loss are wrong, according to Mr. Bayard, and he cited examples to show how figures sometimes lie. The speaker asked the farmers to raise good stock when they were raising any, telling what a great thing a difference of blood is.

Lawrence Elliott, a farmer of Jefferson township, took issue with some of Mr. Bayard's statements, saying that he had raised sheep and couldn't get back what he paid for them.

"Let's quit saying we can't do things," was Mr. Bayard's reply. "Let's get down and do them."

Farm Agent Engle of Westmoreland county made a short address emphasizing what Bayard had said. Farm Agent Bedell of Greene county also spoke here. He advised the farmers to give the farm agent all the assistance possible, and to boost always. He also outlined a scheme of community breeding which has been taken up in Greene county.

At the farm of C. E. Goss the tourists inspected a model dairy barn. "We brought you here," said Mr. Daugherty, "to show you what can be done in the way of repairing a barn. This place was transformed from an old shed, at almost no expense."

The county farm bureau has been conducting an experiment on the farm of Charles H. Steele near Fayette City, which has to do with blue grass. Some acres were seeded, and each given a different amount of lime and acids. As yet no conclusions can be drawn from the experiment, but by this time next year it is expected that one form of treatment will have been shown conclusively to be the best.

At the farm of W. L. Wood, the visitors saw 135 head of full-blood Aberdeen cattle, used for beef only. "If you keep cattle at all," Mr. Wood told the tourists, "keep good cattle. A poorly bred cow eats just as much as a well bred one."

C. H. Stuckslager exhibited his herd of Merino sheep and quite a discussion was held in regard to the sheep trade. Mr. Stuckslager, Mr. Shoaf and Dr. Havener were all enthusiastic over prospects for more sheep raising in the county. Sheep raising is undoubtedly a paying proposition as long as the animals are not killed by dogs Mr. Daugherty indicated that better laws were to be made to protect the sheepmen and that he was going to conduct an investigation in an attempt to discover just what is wrong with the sheep business in Fayette county.

Dr. Havener described the method of caring for sheep at State College, and this was followed by an interesting open discussion.

Announcement was made of the Grangers' picnic to be held August 26 at the Dawson fair grounds. Harry Cochran of the Dawson fair made the trip and distributed fair catalogs.

The last stop was at the farm of W. H. Cooke near Tippecanoe. Mr. Cooke exhibited a herd of Guernseys that will be sold at auction on September 7. From here the automobilists returned to their homes, most of them going by way of Uniontown.

Dinner was served as a basket picnic.

The affair as a whole was a distinct success. Aside from the educational features, the social and of it alone would have made it worth while. There is no doubt but that there will be results from it, and that many farmers of the county will take up the raising of live stock.

Mr. Daugherty was much pleased with the success of the trip. The farmers praised him for his energy in arranging the tour. "We ought to have more of them," was everyone's spoken opinion.

Among those from Connellsville who made the tour were J. A. Downs, J. H. Junk, T. Scott Dunn, W. B. Dunn, E. L. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll C. Boyd, Miss Eleanor Boyd, Miss Anna Mary Boyd, Lloyd Myers.

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The Grim Reaper.

MRS. MARY E. MARTIN.

Mrs. Mary E Martin, 81 years old, a resident of Snydertown, virtually all her life, died yesterday at the family residence, death being due to the infirmities of old age. Her husband, James T. Martin, died just 13 months ago. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house. Owing to the absence of Rev. C. C. Buckner, pastor of the Christian Church, from town, Rev. J. H. Lambertson, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, will officiate. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Martin was born July 14, 1835 a daughter of the late Hiram and Eliza Noble Snyder. She was widely and favorably known in Connellsville and vicinity. Deceased was a member of the Christian Church. A daughter, Mrs. Ellen L. Ryland of Snydertown, and one sister, Miss Lydia Snyder of Connellsville, survive.

MRS. HARRY ROGERS

Mrs. Harry Rogers, 38 years old, died this morning at her home in Fifth avenue, Scottdale, following an illness of complication of diseases. She is survived by her husband and nine children. Notice of funeral later.

MRS ANNA K RUMBAUGH

Mrs. Anna K. Rumbaugh, 80 years old, died yesterday at the home of her son, H. M. Rumbaugh in Greensburg. She was the widow of Jacob Rumbaugh, who died 14 years ago. Deceased is survived by one son, H. M. Rumbaugh of Greensburg and one daughter, Mrs John Albright of Mount Pleasant township.

$1 Gettysburg and Return.

Via Western Maryland Railway, Saturday, August 19, leaving Connellsville 10.45 A. M. or 11.30 P. M. Returning Sunday or Monday, August 20 or 21. Regular trains.—Adv.

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NOTICE IS POSTED FREEING MARRIED MEN IN THE GUARD

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wash tub He don't like it but it's absolutely necessary here.

Bill Meeghan hasn't been bothered much with his sick spells since his oats were shut off. No more dieting for Bill.

Sergeant Homer Moser is getting real strict with the boys of the Hospital Corps. The boys had been taking advantage of his good nature so he had to knock some of them off.

Captain Herwick says he will now put his boys against any in the regular army. They are good, too.

Clarence Cooper says if there is anything he likes to do is a big washing. He is getting lots of practice, too.

Dave Randolph is a busy man these days It is not army work. He has a new camera.

Dink Glenn has trouble with his mail There is another Glenn in the regiment and he gets Dink's mail about half the time.

WANT HUSBANDS HOME.

Mrs. John W. Brown, wife of a sergeant in Company D, made affidavit before Alderman W. D Colborn that her husband is needed at home to support her and their two children. She states that his pay of $30 a month in the army is her sole means of support. Her affidavit will be forwarded to the regimental officials at El Paso together with the statement from two neighbors that conditions are as Mrs. Brown makes out.

Alderman Fred Munk has taken similar affidavits from a number of other wives.

SCOTTDALE W. C. T. U.

Officers for the Year Are Elected at Big Meeting.

At a meeting of the Scottdale W. C. T. U. held last evening at the home of Mrs. W. W. Eicher, officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Mary Williams; vice president, Mrs. C. W. Stauffer; recording secretary, Mrs. Lucy A. Poole; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. A. Colborn; treasurer, Mrs. Fanny Reynolds; first vice president, Mrs Sue McGoogan of the Presbyterian Church; second vice president, Mrs. A. L. Keister of the United Brethren Church; third vice president, Mrs. P. D Steelsmith of the Evangelical Church; fifth vice president, Mrs. E. L. Miller of the Christian Church; sixth vice president, Mrs. Stough of the Lutheran Church.

Departmental superintendents elected were as follows: President, Mrs. Lucy A. Poole; anti narcotics, Mrs. J. U. Pahl; T. L. B., Miss Alice McCombs; co-operation with missions, Mrs. W. F. Stoner; sabbath observance, Mrs M. L. Brown; evangelistic, Miss Malinda Stoner; temperance literature, Mrs William Burtsfield; Sunday school work, Mrs. Marie Dotwiler; suffrage, Mrs. C. W. Stauffer; social meetings, Mrs Fannie Reynolds; legislature, Mrs. C. A. Colborn; flower missions, Mrs. C. D. Reid, S. T. L., Mrs. Anna Wooster; soldiers and sailors, Mrs. Jefferson Freeman; mothers meetings, Mrs. T. W. Burgess; medal contest, Mrs C. W. Stauffer; work among foreign speaking people, Mrs W. W. Eicher

Committees will be appointed at the regular meeting to be held August 29, at the home of Mrs. C. A. Colborn.

Thrown From Wagon and Killed.

Clarence Caton, nine-year-old son of Mr and Mrs. Charles Caton, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon when he was thrown from a wagon at the McCormick Addition, Uniontown The Catons were moving from the Wilmer Wilkey farm near Mount Braddock, to the McCormick Addition and Clarence was riding on the first load of household goods.

Photographers' Picnic.

The annual outing of the photographers of Western Pennsylvania is being held today at Oakford Park. A baseball game between the Pittsburg and Westmoreland-Fayette sections, was a feature.

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SURPRISE "IRISH TOM"

Veteran Cop, Sent to Stop a Fight, Finds a Birthday Party.

Patrolman Thomas McDonald, the nestor of the Connellsville police force, was tendered a surprise party at his home on Highland avenue last night by a number of his neighbors and other friends The veteran policeman was taken out in that section by Chief of Police B. Rottler about 9 o'clock presumably to break up the fight When he opened the door of his home, he found 50 or 60 of his friends there awaiting him

By the way, it was the patrolman's 52nd birthday and a "fine time was had by all." During the course of the evening a large old valise, labeled "Home Sweet Home" was brought in and when opened it was found to contain a bushel or so of Irish potatoes, tobacco, an Irish pipe and a collection of other things suggestive of the "Auld Sod."

Patrolman McDonald has been on the city force for about 27 years, off and on, and he is today considered "one of the finest." No matter what shifts are made on the force, he is always retained.

MONEY FOR CHURCH.

J. M. Sease Leaves Income of $1,500 to Reformed Congregation.

By the will of J. M. Sease, late of Mount Pleasant township, the trustees of the Mount Pleasant Reformed Church are to be paid $1,500. This money is to be held in trust and three fourths of the income paid toward the pastor's salary and one-fourth to the benevolent apportionments.

The estate is valued at $14,000. One-half of the residue is to go to George H. D. Sease, a brother of the deceased, and the balance of the residue to Mrs. Mae Bennett and Ollie Sease.

MINERD REUNION.

Ohiopyle to be Scene of Big Outing on Saturday, August 19.

The fourth annual reunion of the Minerd family will be held Saturday, August 19 at Ohiopyle. A large attendance is expected and good weather is hoped for. Last year this reunion was marred by rain upon the day of the outing

The Minerd family is scattered through Washington, Somerset and Fayette counties but all branches manage to get together once a year for the outing.

Earthquake in Italy.

LONDON, Aug 16.—The cities of Ancona, Pesaro and Rimini, Italy, were shaken by an earthquake this morning, says a dispatch from Rome. No damage was done at Ancona, but at Pesaro and Rimini houses were wrecked and it is feared there has been loss of life

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THE PENNSYLVANIA R. R. IS SAID TO BE PLANNING NEW ROAD

Across Washington County From the Ohio Valley to Coke Region.

REVIVAL OF AN OLD PROJECT

Started Over Thirty Years Ago By the Wellsburg & State Line Railroad Company; Franchises Acquired by New Interests Identified with P. R. R.

Certain activities of Pennsylvania railroad interests in Washington county and the panhandle district of West Virginia are taken as an indication that a new line of railroad is to be built in that territory in an easterly direction with some point in the Connellsville coke region as the ultimate objective.

Sometime ago the franchises of the Wellsburg & State Line railroad, a project launched almost thirty years ago, were acquired by the Pennsylvania interests. It is now said that the long delayed enterprise will be pushed to completion for the purpose of giving the Pennsylvania railroad access to a comparatively new territory. In connection with the rumor which has become current, F. A. Layman, railroad editor of the Pittsburg Dispatch, says:

"The reason for the acquisition recently by Pennsylvania interests of the right of way, etc., of the Wellsburg & State Line railroad, sometime a going concern but long since abandoned, is disclosed. The work of rehabilitating it will be undertaken directly, and that task completed it will be extended to Canonsburg, to and into the Marianna coal field. Meanthine the Wheeling Coal railroad project, promoted by the same interests, is dormant.

"The foregoing announcement explains several occurrences of the early months of the year wherein the Pennsylvania Lines West officials figured, one of them retiring from the service in order to manage a newly organized coal concern which took over the Canonsburg operation of the Pittsburg & Buffalo Coal Company, rumor at that time accrediting the Pennsylvania with the purpose to secure for its rails the output of the same. This rumor was revived when the Pennsylvania bought the Wellsburg & State Line property for $50,000 or $15,000 more than the appraisement, but was denied categorically by the purchaser, which now admits its correctness.

"Beginning at the mouth of Buffalo creek, near Wellsburg, the original line follows that water course for six miles to a coal operation, where it ends, but from which the new owners purpose extending it as described, across the West Virginia panhandle into Pennsylvania to Canonsburg, where it will cross the Panhandle railway and be pushed on eventually to Connellsville or some other point on the Youghiogheny river, opening up a large area of virgin coal territory to exploitation and assuring to Pennsylvania rails a great and continuing tonnage."

Commenting upon the revival of the project the Canonsburg Notes says the proposal to build the State Line road from Pittsburg to Wellsburg, via Canonsburg, was first agitated nearly thirty years ago. Public meetings were held at Canonsburg and at Wellsburg, and surveys were made. A. L. Meyran, at that time head of the Canonsburg Iron & Steel Works was a prime factor in the movement, but his death, in the fall of 1889, had much to do with the abandonment of the project.

The road as now proposed would extend from Wellsburg to Canonsburg and eventually reach the Connellsville coke region. The Pennsylvania railroad owns the Chartiers Southern, the roadbed of which has been graded from Van Eman south to a point near Marianna. This probably would form a link in the proposed line to reach the coke region.

The Pennsylvania also owns the Western Washington branch, extending from Houston to Westland, and this would be a direct line to Wellsburg. The completion of the Chartiers Southern and the use of the Western Washington branch would greatly reduce the distance to be constructed.

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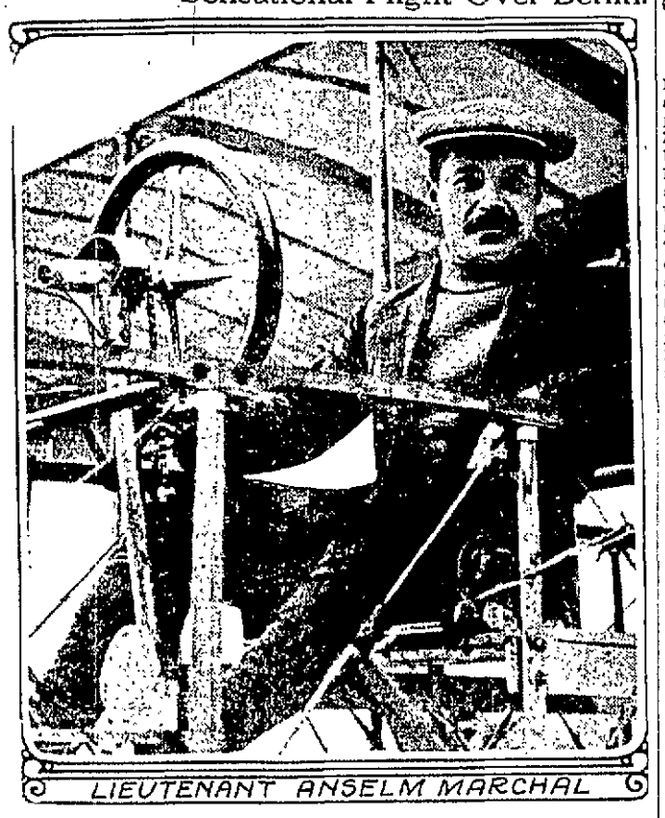

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ANOTHER HEARING IN THE RATE CASE

Michigan Coal Dealers and Consumers to be Given Hearing Before Examiner Marshall Sept. 15.

Another hearing in the Fifteen Cent Rate case, instituted by the West Virginia coal operators against an advance in rates to central freight association territory, and in which the Connellsville Coal Tariff Association was allowed to intervene, will be held in Detroit, Mich., beginning September 25th.

The testimony of a number of Michigan coal dealers and consumers, who are protesting against the increased rates, will be taken before Examiner E. C. Marshall. It is contended by them that the proposed increase would add $2,500,000 per year to the cost of the coal brought from West Virginia mines. They join forcibly in the contention that the railroads did not ask for an increase in the differentials because the railroads needed the additional revenue, but to meet a political exigency in Ohio, due to the threat of the Ohio Public Utilities Commission to lower rates on Ohio coal shipped from that field into central freight association territory, unless the rates from the West Virginia fields were advanced to increase the differential.

West Virginia coal has large sale in Michigan markets, and the dealers there have been using it to the exclusion of Ohio and Indiana coal, notwithstanding the existing differential of twenty-five cents a ton. To widen the differential an extra fifteen cents a ton would be ruinous to the business and would force the Michigan consumers to use other coals.

At this meeting the evidence taken at the Atlantic City and other previous hearings will be summed up and the railroads and shippers will be given an opportunity to prepare and submit briefs to the commission. It is anticipated that this will be the final hearing of the case.

MEXICAN ENGINEERS

Now Form a Branch of the American National Organization.

The American Institute of Mining Engineers has absorbed the Mexican Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, which will hereafter be known as the Mexican section of the American organization. The American institute thus gains to its membership more than 200 of the mining experts of Mexico, increasing its total membership to 5,800.

The next annual convention of the institute will be held in Arizona, the first time in the 45 years history of the organization that it has met in that state. The meetings will extend over the entire week of September 18 and will be held in the principal mining centers of the state, the members traveling between the various points by special train and automobile.

NEW BY-PRODUCT PROJECTS

West Virginia and Kentucky to Add to the List of Enterprises.

Capitalists of Huntington and Logan, W. Va., have formed the Run Creek Collieries & By-Product Company with a capital of $250,000 to operate mines on a 4,400 acre tract of two seams of coal in Logan county. Four large mine developments will be made on the tract. Coal from the Eagle seam will be used for by-product purposes. The Island Creek seam coal will be shipped for fuel.

The Kentucky Coal Products Company has been organized by New York capitalists with a capital stock of $1,000,000 to mine coal and manufacture coal products.

WILL BEGIN ON MONDAY.

The New By-Product Coke Plant at Youngstown to be Blown In.

The ovens at the new by-product coke plant of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company at Youngstown have been undergoing a drying out for some time past and it is now expected that the plant will be placed in partial operation on next Monday.

A recent test of the electrical machinery for operating the plant was made with satisfactory results.

TO PREVENT CAR SHORTAGE

Interstate Commerce Commission Urges Railroads to Exercise Close Supervision of Loading.

In anticipation of another car shortage, the Interstate Commerce Commission has addressed an appeal to railroads and shippers for close supervision of loading, unloading and moving cars in order to secure the fullest possible use of available equipment.

"Reports are being received by the commision indicating that a car shortage is again threatened, caused in part by the heavy grain shipments at this season of the year," Secretary McGinity states in a circular.

"Shippers should endeavor to secure the prompt and full loading of cars and consignees their prompt unloading and release. The commission feels justified in urging upon shippers and consignees that they shall not use cars for storage purposes, but should endeavor to release them as promptly as possible and not avail themselves of the full limit of free time provided by the tariffs.

"Carriers also should make every endeavor to eliminate delays and expedite the movement of shipments. Cars should be promptly returned to the home line, company material unloaded promptly and close supervision given to operators at terminals. Individual shippers and their associates should co-operate in order that delays and losses consequent to a shortage of cars may, as far as possible, be avoided."

CHARGED WITH AUTO THEFTS

Man Much Sought by Police Nabbed at Meyersdale.

Francis J. Parker, for whom police have been searching for months in conection with automobile thefts, was arrested in Meyersdale Monday. Efforts will be made to take him to Pittsburg, where he is wanted on numerous charges of larceny, it is said.

Detectives of the country have chased Parker for over a year. Several times, they say, he eluded them by stealing automobiles. Parker, according to a letter from Chicago, has associated with him several expert thieves in cities throughout the United States. They steal the cars and ship them to Parker or his agents in Chicago, say detectives, where the machines are taken apart and identifying marks obliterated. They are then put together, repainted and sold to second-hand dealers. It is said the value of the cars stolen by the "auto theft trust" will aggregate over $150,000.

THOMPSON'S INTEREST.

In Several Tracts of Greene County Coal to Be Sold By Sheriff.

There will be offered at sheriff's sale, to be held August 26, 28 and September 2, the undivided interest of J. V. Thompson in twenty-eight tracts of coal in Greene county.

These are situated at Morgan, Jefferson and Cumberland townships and range in area from one and a-half to 150 acres.

Coal to Danish Indies.

The United States sends about $400,000 worth of coal to the Danish West Indies annually.

Buy Indiana County Coal.

The Kent Coal Company has bought 64 acres of coal in Young township, Indiana county for $8,000.

Saved Her Daughter's Life.

"Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved my daughter's life when she had cholera morbus at the age of 14 months. She vomited every few minutes and we were unable to keep any medicine down long enough to benefit her until we gave her this remedy. The doctor being at our house I asked him what he thought about our using it, and he said as he was unable to do the child any good, I had better use it. The second dose she kept down and in a short time the bowels were checked and she improved rapidly after that," writes Mrs. Jennie Meyer, Lima, Ohio. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

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At the Theatres

SOISSON THEATRE.

"THE SILENT BATTLE"—His inheritance was a brilliant intellect and an insatiable craving for dissipation and drink. Famous lawyer that he was, his career was nearly ruined by the habits to which he gave way. Finally a complete breakdown came and he was sent to the Canadian woods to be free from temptation and and there build himself all anew. There fate threw a beautiful girl under his protection, and for three days and nights the young lawyer and the girl were alone in the woods. When a storm came and rain drenched the young man to the skin, the girl gave him a draught from her emergency flask of whisky. Then started a series that leads through five acts of stirring photoplay, filled with surprises and fraught with deep interest. "The Silent Battle" is the title of the Bluebird Photoplay to be exhibited at the Soisson theatre today, in which J. Warren Kerrigan, Lois Wilson, Maud George and a splendid company of camera-actors will unfold the dramatic fullness of this clever story. "My Lady's Millions," a two-reel Laemle drama, with Hobart Henley in the leading role. A girl helps a young man in distress and is more than repaid when he threatens to break her father's trust. "Dear Must Go Down," a Nestor comedy with Eddie Lyons and Lee Moran. It is a laughable farce concerning a young fellow who is prone to look upon the wine when it is red, white and blue. "Rough Riders of India." Tomorrow the thrilling serial, "The Iron Claw" will be shown with Pearl White.

J. WARREN KERRIGAN IN "THE SILENT BATTLE"

PARAMOUNT THEATRE.

"FLIRTING WITH FATE"—A five part Triangle production presenting Douglas Fairbanks, is today's feature attraction. "Flirting With Fate," which is superior in many respects to any vehicle in which Fairbanks has ever appeared, introduces a comical element of fear which would enable it to stand on its own merits in open competition. Mr. Fairbanks impersonates a poor artist in love with a girl of high society, one of unusual beauty. He is driven to despair by a combination of misfortunes, including the loss of a much cherished portrait he has painted of her, and as he believes the girl herself. He fails in all attempts to commit suicide and hires a professional assassin, Automatic Joe. The characterization of the professional killer with his peculiar scruples constitutes a large enough comedy element in itself to carry over the play. Having received $50 to do the job Automatic Joe is determined to win the money though it be the last act of its kind in his life. His mother's death and the influence of a Salvation Army officer causes Joe to reform but he will not let his past reputation suffer, he, the greatest of his kind. The story is a winner straight through, admirably constructed, capably handled and interspersed by a notable cast. A Keystone comedy, "The Surf," completes the bill. Friday Peggy Hyland will be seen in the picturization of Henry Arthur Jones' world famous drama, "Saints and Sinners," produced by the Famous Players Film Company. Miss Hyland's charm and dramatic talents combine to make the characterization one to be long remembered.

ARCADE THEATRE TODAY

"THE SERPENT"—Theda Bara is at her best as Vania Lazar, a beautiful Russian peasant girl. Betrayed and debauched by the Grand Duke Valonoff, she leaves the country and with naught but hate in her heart for all

"THE SERPENT" WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION

men deliberately sets forth on a career of devastation. High or low degree, it matters naught, her prey is man, and in the city in which she has taken up her abode, she leaves a trail marked by ruined lives. The war has broken out, wounded soldiers are arriving from the front, and "The Serpent" watches in glee as the broken men file past her window. A Russian officer is carried past. His face wakens memories. She makes inquiries and discovers that the wounded officer is Prince Valonoff, son of the Grand Duke. She helps nurse him back to health and he, too, falls victim to her charms. Shortly after their marriage the Grand Duke sends word that he is coming to visit his beloved and only son. The Prince is called away before his father's arrival. Vania greets the Grand Duke, who does not recognize her. He makes love to her after she has lured him on. The Prince returns, and finding his wife clasped in the arms of his own father, commits suicide. The last drop of venom from "The Serpent's" fangs has found its mark. Hearst International News Pictorial will also be shown.

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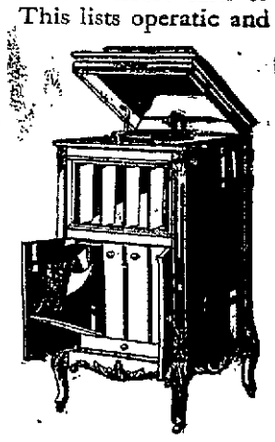

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DAWSON.

DAWSON, Aug. 16.—Mrs. J. C. McGill and children left Monday for Youngstown, Ohio., where they will be the guests of Mrs. Samuel Wright for the next two weeks.

Miss Louise Wolf has returned to her home at McKeesport after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Zimmerman.

Lester Shallenberger of Summit was a Dawson caller Monday.

J. F. Montgomery, yard master at Dickerson Run is back at his duties, after a three weeks' vacation.

John L. Thomas visited friends and relatives in Connellsville Sunday.

Mrs. D. H. McKee and daughter, Miss Mary of Wilkinsburg and Miss Kate Smith, Bell Vernon, and Mrs. J. B. Henderson, Vanderbilt, were guests Monday of Mrs. Charles McGill, North Dawson.

Mac Smith of New Brighton is visiting his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Parkhill.

Miss Katheryn Richter of Connellsville, was the guest Sunday of her uncle, T. Robb Deyarmon.

Donald Rist, who has been attending college at Denver, Col., is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Rist.

Mrs. William McCune of Lower Tyrone, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Horn.

George Moore was a recent Pittsburg caller.

Miss Kathryn Van Horn spent Saturday evening the guest of Connellsville friends.

Indigestion and Constipation.

"I recently discovered in Chamberlain's Tablets the first medicine to give me positive and lasting relief. Prior to their use I suffered frequently from indigestion and constipation," writes Mrs. Anna Kadin, Spencerport, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

Read the advertisements today.

Will Use Powdered Coal.

Troubled by gas shortage, the American Steel & Wire Company at Donora is preparing to install a powdered coal process for furnace heating. It will be used completely as a substitute for gas. Experiments made since last winter with the new process proved satisfactory, producing a blast as hot as that from gas.

Seeks a Divorce.

Divorce proceedings were instituted this morning by Albert Visconti of Dunbar against Angela Visconti, to whom he was married at Wellsburg, W. Va., March 30, 1913. Cruel and barbarous treatment and infidelity are alleged.

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FREE TRADE IN FACT.

In holding the Underwood Tariff up to the country as the ideal means or instrument whereby to jointly provide revenue and to afford protection to American capital and labor, the Democrats magnify the importance of the growth in our exports. They do not have the candor to admit that the increase has been occasioned almost wholly by war orders, preferring for campaign purposes to ascribe the phenomenal expansion to the efficacy of Democratic policies. At the same time they maintain a strange, not to say significant, silence about the prodigious growth in imports.

During the eleven months ending May last our imports increased from $1,736,296,207 to $1,952,088,072, or a total of $215,691,865, a fact to which our Democratic friends seem disinclined "to point with pride."

This unparalelled increase of almost a quarter of a billion, as represented by figures, does not tell the whole story of the beneficent effects of the Underwood Tariff. Of the goods imported into this country during the period named, the value of those admitted free of duty was $304,807,909 greater than during the corresponding period of the preceding fiscal year. Because non-tariff paying goods formed so large a part of the total imports, and continued from month to month to increase that proportion, while both the volume and value of dutiable goods decreased meantime, the increase in free imports is estimated to be at least 40 per cent more than the aggregate of all imports would indicate.

With such a record made during the progress of the war what may we expect when it is over? If Democratic policies prevail when the manufacturing nations of Europe have resumed the arts of peace, non-dutiable imports will soon assume such proportions of our imports that we will have Free Trade in fact if not in name.

PREPAREDNESS AND PRETENSION

We have heard a great deal in this campaign about Preparedness and Pretension. The talk has emanated largely from the Democratic sources. A striking illustration of the meaning of the terms may be gathered from the following paragraph taken from the Connellsville News:

> If the editorial writer on the Connellsville Courier would only resort at times to those gems of thought that emanate from the publicity bureau of the Republican National Committee he and his subscribers would in time find that department vastly improved. But we presume it would be impossible to convince the editorial writer of that fact.

The Courier does resort to the gems of thought which emanate from the publicity department of the Republican National Committee, but always gives due and proper credit for them. It never tries to palm them off on its readers as original editorial matter, as The News seems to have been doing with similar matter issued by the Democratic National Committee.

The Courier believes in Preparedness; The News prefers Pretension.

AN EVEN BREAK.

The justice and equity of the claim of the Connellsville coke operators for lower freight rates on coal are being generally admitted by persons or interests who have become informed upon the issues involved or are even remotely concerned in a solution of the problem.

It is uniformly agreed that the demand is used upon reason, common sense, fairness and sound business considerations. It is being prosecuted without intent to impose unfair burdens on other districts or on the transportation companies. It is simply and solely an effort to bring about an equitable adjustment in order to meet a wholly new condition which has developed in the trade of the Connellsville region within a comparatively short period.

The by-product coke producing and consuming enterprises, which next to the coke operators and the railroads have the most vital concern in the question, concede the right of the region to demand a removal of the existing differential against it. The feeling and attitude of these interests is thus set forth by the Cleveland Daily Iron Trade:

"The Connellsville coke producers, who are miners of coal also, have a case before the Interstate Commerce Commission that ought to receive, and likely is receiving, careful study. The zenith has been passed, undoubtedly, of the beehive production of coke in these regions. But the by-product ovens, whose product is supplanting portions of the Connellsville output of furnace and foundry fuel, must have suitable coal. All sorts of coal cannot be used to make satisfactory coke. The sulphur and phosphorus contents must be right; and the ash must not be too high. Connellsville coal long has been considered the ideal coking coal. But, of course, there are other good coals than those mined in the Connellsville regions; some in Kentucky, West Virginia and other states.

"But other districts possess more favorable railroad freight rates, and the commerce commission has been asked by Connellsville operators to equalize this difference to the end that their coal can be shipped under the same conditions to by-product oven points as are shipped those coals mined in other districts and with which the Connellsville fuel must compete. This question, it would appear, is vital to the continuance of the prosperity of the district which has been threatened by the building of large numbers of by-product ovens at the sites of mills and furnaces throughout the middle west and the east.

"The argument which the Connellsville mine operators have made to the commission is worthy of careful reading. Besides affording an insight into the merits of the contention of the complainants, it also presents a sidelight upon the growth of the by-product coke industry and also explains what has been the matter with the Connellsville coke industry of late years, while all other branches of the iron and steel industry have been most prosperous. It shows all the troubles of the Connellsville trade cannot be traced solely to the J. V. Thompson failure. Of course, the growth in the number of by-product ovens was inevitable. However, there be those who believe the contention of the Connellsville operators for an even break in freight rates for their coal will be upheld by the commission. The many friends and well-wishers of the regions hope so."

Fire Prevention Week will be something more than a spectacular event in Connellsville. It will be filled with valuable hints for the fire departments. It will be useful as well as ornamental.

The last links in the brick and concrete road system between Connellsville and Uniontown will soon be completed to the great relief and satisfaction of everybody. The next thing is to build that much-needed bit of good road between Connellsville and Iron Bridge.

The West Virginia prophet who passed this way came right from the insane asylum.

Hughes says the Democrats don't know what the Anti-Dumping Clause means. Wait until Woodrow and the star orators all get to explaining it. The price of headache powders will probably advance

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The garbage wagons were not any more to blame than the 5,200 citizens who are holding out. It is a condition not a theory Connellsville is up against.

The backbone of the torrid spell is broken, but the backbone of the infantile plague remains rigid and unyielding.

The Trotter road seems to be the scene of frequent motor accidents. It is one of the finest bits of track in the country.

The threat of a Government probe brought the price of wheat down, but the Government grain crop report sent it up again. The Government is a large factor in the grain market.

Fayette City wants a bridge, too. Applications for bridges are coming in at a lively rate. They should be filed in regular order and given consideration in the same manner.

The Wabash Terminal has been turned over again. As an investment it was a luminous failure. As a terminal it has terminated with a dull thud.

It is hard to understand why men should sleep on the railroad tracks in the face of all the popular education on the subject of safety first.

The Chicago postoffice is reported to have dropped from its rolls 130 employes who are serving in the national guard on the Texas border. It would be interesting to know how many of them are Republicans.

Ram-dom Reels

By Howard L. Rann.

THE MEXICAN DOLLAR.

The Mexican dollar is a painful excuse for real money which circulates in Mexico about as fast as bath soap. The Mexicans formerly used this dollar as a medium of exchange, but now its use is restricted solely to paying debts owed to trustful Americans, who are given their choice of accepting it or dying far from home with poorly concealed reluctance.

When that noble scion of Mexican aristocracy V. Carranza, became President of Mexico the Mexican dollar could be sold in New York for thirty-three cents but there were few takers. Carranza soon found that there were not enough of these dollars to go around, so he began the manufacture of paper dollars which had nothing back of them except a strong current of air. This made a very satisfactory form of money, however, and was rapidly exchanged for dry goods and groceries whenever supported by a machine gun. The Mexican paper dollar is now worth two cents, at which rate it requires a ten-ton truck to haul the price of a pair of shoes to town.

A popular abbreviation of the Mexican dollar in this county is the Mexican quarter. This form of Mexican vice ought to be barred from our shores, as it is frequently used to short-change

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our people at circuses and one-night stands. It is enough to give a patriotic American citizen 1,000 fits of convulsions to pass out a solid, home-made dollar and get back a handful of Mexican currency that wouldn't buy one's way into a nickelodeon.

The Mexican dollar is not much thought of at home. Nobody tries to hoard it up in large piles unless he is mentally deranged. It is no good except to pay the foreign invasor, who usually has a family at home and prefers to draw his breath at the expense of his salary. At the present rate of exchange an American can go into Mexico with a $5 bill and accumulate a set of Mexican currency that would fill a silo twenty feet across. This teaches us that there are times when it is better to have collateral than ready money.

There are three things which Mexico needs more badly than anything else. They are running water, the Turkish towel and sound money. Uncle Sam may have to supply all three before he gets through. In the meantime, the use of the Mexican dollar in this country should be confined to souvenir purposes, such as strapping it to the watch fob or dropping it into

Blowin' Bubbles.

Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason

THE ROAD HOG.

The road hog drives his team of mules along the middle of the way obvious to all the rules that govern every decent jay. Behind him, in your car, you ride, and toot upon your horn a blast, expecting him to turn aside, and give you room to journey past. The road hog slowly looks around, perched on the summit of his load, he does not heed the warning sound he holds the middle of the road. And you must trail along behind, stiff touting in an angry pitch, or else, with murder in your mind, get past by plunging through a ditch. The road hog makes you sore and hot, but there's nothing you can do, for if you plug him full of shot, a rustic cop will collar you. When folks in motor cars offend, or violate some trifling law, they have no advocate or friend—a full, round punishment they draw. But some old rube can hog the road, and bring disaster to our cars, and jays will throng to his abode and hand him nosegays and cigars.

Cassified Advertisements.

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WANTED—LABORERS BY CONNELLSVILLE WATER CO 11aug3t

WANTED—BOYS AT RIPLEY GLASS plant, South Connellsville; 16 years or over. 11aug6td

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED woman cook. Apply WEST PINN TEA ROOM 16aug2td

WANTED—THREE EXPERIENCED counter girls at WEBB'S RESTAURANT, Scottdale, Pa. 16aug2td*

WANTED—TRUCKERS AT BALTIMORE & OHIO freight station. Good wages. Steady employment. 15aug3t

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL house work. Apply 223 South Ninth street, West Side, Greenwood. 24july-tfd

WANTED—BOY 16 YEARS OLD TO work in store. BAZAAR DEPARTMENT STORE, 212 N. Pittsburg St. 15aug2td

WANTED—EXPERIENCED DINING room girl, none other need apply; $7.50 per week. Apply NEW SCOTTDALE HOUSE, Scottdale, Pa. 15aug2td

WANTED — GOOD COMPETENT girl for general restaurant and confectionery work. Apply THOMAS RESTAURANT, South Connellsville, Pa. 15aug2td*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, 307 EAST MAIN ST. 11aug-tfd

FOR RENT—ROOMS TO RENT. Inquire 226 E. FAIRVIEW AVE. 16aug1td

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. Inquire 013 South Pittsburg street. 8aug-tfd

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FOR RENT—TWO FOUR ROOM houses, East Main street. Have gas, water, electric light. Empty now, $8.50 a month. Owner pays water rent. MASON, THE RENTER. Second National Bank Building. 10aug2td

For Sale.

FOR SALE — 1914 HUPMOBILE touring car. First class condition. Write P. O. Box 651, Connellsville. 2aug-eod-tf

FOR SALE—HOOD PROPERTY, corner Peach street and Meadow alley; $7,000.00. Inquire ALEX HOOD. 3aug10d

FOR SALE—WE HAVE SOME BIG bargains in second hand automobiles. WELLS-MILLS ELECTRIC COMPANY. 12aug-tfd

FOR SALE—PICKLING CUCUMBERS 75c a 100, CONNELLSVILLE MARKET. 10aug1td

FOR SALE — CORNER LOT ON paved street. Good location. Address "K K," care Courier. 9may-tfd

FOR SALE—LOT 40x120 ON PAVED street. Cement sidewalk. Good clean location, on street car line. Address "D" care Courier. 6may-tfd

FOR SALE—5 LOTS ON SOUTH Pittsburg street, 40x140. All located North side of Jos. Tippman, Sr. property. M. HURLEY ESTATE. 23maytf

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FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT ON Autna street, South Side. House contains 7 rooms, reception hall and bath. Porches and outbuildings. Address BOX 141 Connellsville, Pa.

FOR SALE—BOOK AND STATIONERY store. Best location in town; good reason for selling. Located 659 Main street. Next door to opera house, Mount Pleasant, Pa. 16aug1td

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST AND MOST convenient building lots for workmen and others. City water, natural gas, electric light, trolley service. Prices range from $50 to $300, but mostly range around $200. Inquire while they last at the office of THE CONNELLSVILLE EXTENSION COMPANY, The Courier Building, Connellsville, Pa.

Found.

FOUND—A PAIR OF AUTOMOBILE curtains on road between Mount Braddock and Uniontown. Owner can have same by calling at Courier office and paying for this notice. 16aug1td

FOUND—BABY'S BRACLET ON Fairview avenue between Pittsburg street and Dr. Kerr's office. Owner may have same by calling on G. C. Hutton, No 3 Fairview Place, rear of Prospect street. 16aug1td

Lost.

LOST—KEY STAMPED 990. Reward if returned to Courier. 16aug3t*

LOST—BUNCH OF KEYS. FINDER will be rewarded by returning same to S. R. GOLDSMITH. 16aug1td

LOST—STRAYED OR STOLEN—Small white rat terrier pup; black ears. Reward if returned to MRS. ETTA STILLWWAGON, Sligo Row, House No. 6, Connellsville, Pa. 16aug1td*

Conveyanc.

MADAM DE VIERNEY WILL LEAVE the city September 1st. Anyone wishing a reading, call now. Gives names and dates and facts. Readings 50c and $1.00 15aug-tfd

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECeived at the office of Andrew P. Cooper, Architect, 701 First National Bank Building, Uniontown, Pa., up until noon, Saturday, August 19th, 1916, for the installation of slate wainscoating in the Leisenring High School Building, Leisenring No. 1, Pa., for the School District of Dunbar Township.

Plans and specifications can be secured at the office of the architect. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The School Board of the School District of Dunbar Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania JOHN BALL, President, F. C. SMITH, Secretary, ANDREW P. COOPER, Architect. 16aug3td

Notice to Heating and Plumbing Contractors.

SEPARATE SEALED PROPOSALS will be received in the office of the Secretary of the Connellsville School Board up until six o'clock P. M., on Monday, August 21st, 1916 for the installation of heating, plumbing, gas fitting in the new West Side School Building. Plans and specifications can be secured in the office of Harry W Altman, Architect, 300 First National Bank Building, Uniontown, Pa.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Certified checks will be required to accompany each bid in the following amounts:

With the heating bid, $500.
With the plumbing bid, $300.

The School Board of the School District of the City of Connellsville, Pa.
J. R. DAVIDSON, President.

Attest:
CAMILLA M. MUNK, Secretary
HARRY W. ALTMAN, Architect.
8aug11td

Charter Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made by J. M. Grey, K. K. Kramer and Henry Porter to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 8th day of September, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., under the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, A. D., 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called [illegible] DIAN CREEK COAL COMPANY, the character and object of which is the mining of coal and the manufacture of the same into coke, and the sale of coal and coke, and for those purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly, and the supplements thereto, conferred. SPERLING, HIGBEE & MATTHEWS, Solicitors. aug16-23-30

Ordinances.

Bill No. 125.
Introduced August 14, 1916
By John Duggan.
Ordinance ————.
Enacted ————, 1916.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR the grading, paving and curbing of South Arch street, from Church Place to Green street, in the City of Connellsville, and providing for the collection of the cost thereof.

Be it enacted by the Council of the City of Connellsville and hereby it is enacted by the authority of the same:

Section 1.—That South Arch street, from Church Place to Green street be graded, paved and curbed in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by the City Engineer and approved by Council.

Section 2.—That the cost of making the said improvements be collected from the abutting property owners according to the benefits as provided by Acts of Assembly.

Mayor.

Attest:
aug16-23sept6-13 City Clerk.

Bill No 126.
Introduced August 14, 1916
By John Duggan.
Ordinance ————.
Enacted ————, 1916

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR the grading, paving and curbing of South Arch street, from Green street to Trump Run and providing for the collection of the cost thereof

Be it enacted by the Council of the City of Connellsville and hereby it is enacted by the authority of the same.

Section 1.—That South Arch street, from Green street to Trump Run be graded, paved and curbed in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by the City Engineer and approved by Council.

Section 2.—That the cost of making the said improvements be collected from the abutting property owners according to the benefits as provided by Acts of Assembly.

Mayor.

Attest:
aug16-23sept6-13 City Clerk.

Bill No 127.
Introduced August 14, 1916
By John Duggan.
Ordinance ————.
Enacted ————, 1916

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Mayor.

Attest:
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Uncle Eph.

"I kin remember when a feller who had any push in him rode a bicycle

"Folks who have a hard time keeping their mouths closed needn't fear to be too lavish with gold fillings in their

Summer Slipping Away Preparing for Fall

The Union Supply Company stores announce some very desirable bargains in the dry goods and notion department of summer goods. The summer is slipping away and the summer goods are doing likewise. We are now preparing for fall and winter—have been for the past three months. Shoes, clothing, hats, shirts, underwear, suits and wraps for women and children, all sorts of winter raiment are now arriving. Our buyers are starting to the markets this week to complete our fall purchases, and announcements of fall preparedness will follow.

Many people outfitting their children for school will find the Union Supply Company stores fully prepared. Monday, September fourth, is the date that most schools open. Some have postponed their opening until Tuesday, September fifth, on account of Monday being Labor Day, but it is not too soon to make your preparations for the children's outfits. The Union Supply Company stores are ready for you.

Union Supply Co.

63 Large Department Stores, Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

A Lot of Pleased Customers

Last week many men and a great many women left our store with the best bargains they ever purchased in footwear.

We've added several new lots to the bargain list and any man or woman who will buy Low-Cuts cannot afford to miss this sale.

Come, right now.

HOOPER & LONG

Get In the Ticket Selling Contest

For the Merchants Annual Outing at Oakford Park

Tuesday, Aug. 22

HERE IS THE LIST OF PRIZES.

FIRST PRIZE—$10.00 in Gold by the Business & Professional Men's Association.
SECOND PRIZE—Diamond Lavallier, by A. B. Kurtz.
THIRD PRIZE—Lavallier, A. W. Bishop.
FOURTH PRIZE—String of Pearl Beads, C. T. Giles.
FIFTH PRIZE—Sterling Silver Vanity Case, J. Lester Magaha.
SIXTH PRIZE—Five-pound Box Johnston's Chocolates.
SEVENTH PRIZE—Kodak, H. O. Keagy.
EIGHTH PRIZE—$2.00 in Tickets, Paramount Theatre
NINTH PRIZE—Picture, E. G. Hall.

Those wishing to enter the contest may secure tickets at Crowley-Mestrezat Shoe Store, where prizes are on display in window.

TRY OUR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

CORONER'S JURY WANTS CROSSING DONE AWAY WITH

It Exonerates the Trainmen From Blame for Scottdale Tragedy.

THE TRACKS ARE UNGUARDED

No Watchman, Safety Gates or Other Device to Protect the Traveling Public; Fireman Says Whistle was Blown; Other Mill Town Gossip.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Aug. 16.—The coroner's jury which probed the death of Harry Mathias returned a verdict Tuesday night that he "came to his death from being struck by a train. We exonerate the trainmen and recommend that the crossing be eliminated as it is positively dangerous and the railroad company should be censured for not having taken proper caution before."

Mathias was killed on the morning of August 5, when a southbound Pennsylvania train struck a wagon he was driving across the tracks near Ruth's planing mill at Scottdale. H. C. Kennedy, the engineer, testified that he had blown the whistle three times on approaching the crossing. He in fact just as the train came to the crossing. He was going about 25 or 30 miles an hour. William Spence, the fireman, also testified that the whistle was blown three times.

T. H. Hays, the liveryman for whom Mathias worked, testified that there was no watchman, no gates nor no warning signals at the crossing. Mathias, he stated, was sober when he left the stable an hour before and his hearing was not defective.

H. G. Martz, a carpenter, stated that he saw the train approaching and saw the wreck. He did not hear any whistle blown. Elbert Rutenhout stated that he heard a low, faint whistle one minute before the crash came. S. P. Sutton, a farmer living at Hecla, stated that he saw the train approach and that no whistle was blown. He stated that the train passed along at a mile a minute and that often the train does not sound a whistle. Miss Ellen Anderson and Mrs. Eva Mellinson stated that they heard the whistle twice.

The jury composed of Major James M. Laird, G. W. Darling, R. H. Sloan, Darwin Musick and Christ Cribbs.

NATIS.

Mrs. John Marshall of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her brother, George Burns of Everson.

Miss Irene Anderson of Mount Braddock is the guest of Miss Goldie McLaughlin.

Mrs. Jack Coombs and son of Acequippa are visiting Mrs. W. F. McGoogan of Everson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Secker of Everson, twins.

Mrs. W. N. Allen and son of Cleveland are visiting J. H. McBerney.

Mrs. Charles Cummings and sister, Miss Daisy Perry, returned after a week at Atlantic City.

Misses Margaret and Eliza O'Donnell returned home after spending two weeks at Mt. Savage.

Mrs. H. S. Vaughorn is visiting her son, Rev. J. V. Vaughorn at Plumville, Pa.

Mrs. J. N. Oling was called to Bellefonte to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Yerick.

Mrs. Theodore Lipps and daughter Nancy left for a week's visit with Pittsburg friends.

Miss Elizabeth Payne of Meyersdale returned home after spending the week end with Miss Hazel VanLoan.

Mrs. Howard Minerd attended the Maccabees lodge in Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs. Andrew Hawthorne was admitted to the Mount Pleasant Hospital yesterday.

Misses Clara Lane and Anna Motford spent yesterday in Mt. Pleasant.

Misses Anne George and Goldie McLaughlin left for a camping trip of two weeks at Ligonier.

Miss Nora Stauffer spent yesterday shopping in Connellsville.

Miss Helen Riley is at Vandergrift visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. Means.

The K. K. K. Club have returned from a two weeks' camp at Roaring Run.

Misses Grace Porter and Verne Keslar returned home after visiting several days with Mrs. Harry Whitehead of Akron, O.

Joseph Slaughter of Fourth avenue, Brownstown, has returned from a two weeks' visit at Dubois.

Iron Is Greatest of All Strength Builders, Says Doctor

A Secret of the Great Power and Endurance of Athletes

Ordinary Nuxated Iron Will Make Delicate, Nervous, Rundown People 200 Per Cent Stronger in Two Weeks' Time in Many Cases.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Most people foolishly seem to think they are going to get renewed health and strength from some stimulating medicine, secret nostrum or narcotic drug, said Dr. Sauer, a well known specialist who has studied widely both in this country and Europe, when, as a matter of fact, real and true strength can only come from the food you eat. But people often fail to get the strength out of their food because they haven't enough iron in their blood to enable it to change food into living matter. From their weakened nervous condition they know something is wrong but they can't tell what, so they generally commence doctoring for stomach, liver or kidney trouble or symptoms of some other ailment caused by the lack of iron in the blood. This thing may go on for years, while the patient suffers untold agony. If you are not strong or well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can walk or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the while, double their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of all symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. But don't take the old forms of reduced iron, iron acetate or tincture of iron simply to save a few cents. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like nuxated iron if you want it to do you any good otherwise it may prove worse than useless. Many an athlete or prize-fighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance and filled his blood with iron before he went into the affray, while many another has gone down to inglorious defeat simply for the lack of iron.

NOTE—Nuxated iron recommended above by Dr. Sauer is not a patent medicine or secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists and whose iron constituents is widely prescribed by eminent physicians everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach on the contrary it is a most potent remedy in nearly all forms of indigestion, as well as for nervous run-down conditions. The manufacturers have such great confidence in Nuxated Iron that they offer to forfeit $100.00 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under 60 who lacks iron and increase their strength 200 per cent or over in four weeks' time provided they have no serious organic trouble. They also offer to refund your money if it does not at least double your strength and endurance in ten days' time. It is dispensed in this city by A. A. Clarke and all other druggists. —Adv.

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Aug. 16.—The Loyal Temperance Legion held their contest for the silver medal on the Baptist Church last evening at 8 o'clock. The program was opened by all singing, "Onward Christian Soldiers," Scripture lesson; prayer by Mrs. Laura Zundel; song by the class; "Whisky in Its Place," Elizabeth Kottright; "Papa's Vote," Carolyn Grantz; "Cemar Repentant," Ella Grantzinger; song, "Children's Happy Day;" "The License Dog," Donald Stoner; "When I Am a Man," Claude Gribble; "In the Land of Prohibition," Elizabeth Grantz; song, "Saloons Must Go;" "A Loyal Temperance Legion in Dollykinville," Ruth Harrer; "What Boys Can Do," Louis Harrer; "Fido and His Master," Violet Schutte. The judges were Rev. W. T. Lytle, Mrs. L. Zundel and Mrs. S. C. Stevenson. They decided in favor of Donald Stoner who also delighted the audience by singing while the judges were making their decision.

Miss Shelar Carr spent Tuesday with friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. Marge Wood Heath returned to her home in California, after a visit here with Mrs. M. King.

Mrs. John Gemmell is at Pittsburg with her daughter, Mrs. Meade Mulvihill.

Rev. J. L. Hartman and family have returned home, after a visit with Rev. Hartman's father at Hanover.

Mrs. Charles Eicher of Toledo, O., is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary Zimmerman, after an absence of 12 years.

Mrs. Anna Kimmell of Vandergrift, left for her home, after a 10 days' visit with her father, J. H. Meyers.

The girls of Woolworth's five and ten cent store, met at the home of Miss Ola Baughman last evening and helped her celebrate her birthday. The evening was spent in games, after which refreshments were served.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Miss Lydia Brown of Morewood street to announce her engagement to Edwin Schutte of Homestead. About 40 guests were present. She received many useful presents. A nice lunch was served.

ENGLAND, AS WELL AS AMERICA, FEELS THE SHORTAGE OF PAPER.

ENGLISH BOYS SORTING OLD PAPER.

Shortage of paper for printing purposes not only threatens the United States and has led to the government investigation, but is felt acutely in foreign countries, especially in England. Every effort is being made to avoid waste as the picture helps to show. The lads are English boy scouts at Manchester sorting out old newspapers, magazines, posters, etc., for dispatch to the mills for remaking.

AMBASSADOR PAGE'S RETURN IS SADDENED BY SON'S WIFE'S DEATH

AMBASSADOR WALTER H. PAGE

The homecoming of Walter H. Page, American ambassador to Great Britain, for a brief respite after three years of work, has been saddened by the death of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank E. Page, of acute anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis). The young woman was married to Ambassador Page's son in June and was ill only three days of the disease that is killing and crippling so many children in New York city and elsewhere and that attacks adults sometimes.

SAFETY CAGE GATES

May be Approved Even if Control Differs from Requirements of Law.

Safety gates for mine cages may be approved for use in coal mines of Pennsylvania by James E. Roderick, chief of the bureau of mines, if they meet requirements of safety contemplated by the acts of the Legislature and rules and regulations of the department, even if control is not by a method prescribed by a statute of 1911, according to an opinion given by Deputy Attorney General Joseph L. Kun.

The gate in question has been approved by 27 of 30 bituminous inspectors, while three have not consented to its use because of control being different from what is required by the act of five years ago. In rendering his decision, the attorney general says:

"The reference in the portion of the act above quoted to the control of safety gates by the cage at the top and intermediate landings must be regarded merely as descriptive of appliances and apparatus then known to be safe and efficient. It is in no sense a *mandatory provision*. To hold otherwise would put a handicap and bar on improvement."

Allegheny River Miners Get Increase.

The Ford Collieries Company of Curtisville; the Bessemer Coal & Coke Company of Russelton; the Allegheny Coal & Coke Company of Harwick; the Superior Coal & Coke Company of Russelton, and the Kinlock Coal & Coke Company of Arnold have signed the miners' scale which means an increase in wages of $150,000 for the next two years.

Is Acting Stenographer.

Miss Margaret McGivern of Dunbar, stenographer for Attorney John Duggan, Jr., was yesterday appointed court stenographer pro tem by Judge Reppert. Both of the official stenographers are away on their vacations.

Do You Want Help?

Try our classified ads. One cent a word. Results follow.

HEALTH OF WOMEN WRECKED BY IGNORANCE

A Prominent Pennsylvania Woman's Advice.

Franklin, Pa. — "When passing through the symptoms which come to women of 45, I used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is just right for that period of life, and I do not hesitate to recommend it."—MRS. MARY E. LUCAS, No. 1103 Otter St., Franklin, Pa.

For every disease or ailment of a womanly character, no matter how recent or long standing, the one sure, reliable remedy of proved merit is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Women should never experiment with unknown preparations; the risk is too great. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is prepared from nature's roots and herbs and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic.

Women are earnestly advised to take it for irregular or painful periods, backache, headache, displacement, catarrhal condition, hot flashes, sallow complexion and nervousness.

For girls about to enter womanhood, women about to become mothers and for the changing days of middle age Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription should always be on hand.

Any medicine dealer can supply it in either liquid or tablet form. Write Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free, confidential medical advice, or free book on Diseases of Women.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little Liver Pills. These tiny, sugar-coated, anti-bilious granules—the smallest and the easiest to take. One little "Pellet" for a laxative—three for a cathartic.

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"THE BIG STORE"
ON PITTSBURGH ST.

We give U. P. S. Coupons Twice as Valuable as Stamps

Greatest Two Day Cleanup

Absolute Unrestricted Choice of any This Seasons, Women and Missess Silk and Taffeta Suit $10

Former Price Up to $47.50.

It is almost unnecessary to quote values—the mere statement that we are going to close out our highest grade Silk Suits at $10.00 should be sufficient to crowd the department. It is understood, of course, that these are broken assortments, but you will find practically all sizes in the selection. Included are light and dark blues, tans, as well as black.

Positively none sent on approval.	Sale starts at 9 o'clock.

Don't rub your eyes! What you read is absolutely the truth. We have determined to make this day an event in the shopping experience of every woman. We have the goods to back our statement, but in order that there shall be no misunderstanding on the part of any customer, who attends this sale, read carefully the following conditions, which entitles you to buy a **Waist up to $1.50 value for ONE CENT!**

Select any Waist on the special One Cent Table, which is worth up to $1.50 and pay 99c for it; then choose another Waist, (any one you see on the same table), and pay **one cent** for it. But first you must buy one for 99c—then you are privileged to select a second one for one cent. Thus you get **two Waists** worth up to $3.00 for a **total outlay of One Dollar.**

Big Offer in Wash Skirts

$1.00 and $1.25 Basket Cloth Skirts 69c

Up to $1.95 Gabardine and Awning Striped Skirt 95c

This season's best models to choose from. Many styles and mostly all sizes.

Mountain Wonderlands

Beauties and grandeurs, piled together in every mood and whim of mighty nature. These do you see from the Chateau at

Lake Louise

in the very heart of the

Canadian Pacific Rockies

Reached by the world's greatest railway with its magnificent hotels at Lake Louise, Banff, Field, Glacier, Balfour.

Sulphur swimming pools, golf, boating and fishing alternate with mountain climbing and pony riding over Alpine trails.

For full information call, phone or write for Tour No. G-29

G. L. WILLIAMS, G. A. P. D.
Canadian Pacific Railway Company
340 Sixth Ave.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, Aug. 16.—Mrs. Edward Dye spent Tuesday shopping and calling on Connellsville friends.

Oral Jackson was a business visitor in Confluence Tuesday.

Mrs. Ephraim Vansickle and children of Connellsville arrived here last evening to spend a several days' visit.

Mrs. Evans Rush returned to her home in Scottdale yesterday after the past week spent with friends at and near here.

C. S. Santmyer was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. John Burke spent Tuesday in Connellsville shopping and calling on friends.

Dr. Cottom of Dawson, spent Tuesday here in his office.

Mrs. Rosa Lindermay has returned to her home here after a week's visit spent at Berlin.

William and Arthur Gioffelty were visitors at Beaver Creek yesterday.

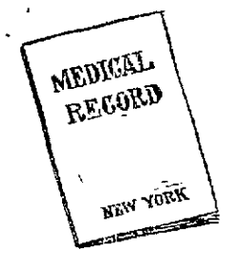
Miss Anna Williams of Kentuck, was a shopper in town yesterday.

Miss Matilda Tucker of Tinker Ridge, was greeting friends in Ohiopyle Monday and Tuesday.

Facts Versus Fallacies

FACT is a real state of things. FALLACY is an apparently genuine but really illogical statement or argument.

MUCH has been printed of the decrees against the use of alcoholic beverages issued by the different governments now at war with each other. How impotent those decrees were to prohibit has been shown in this series of articles. But an entirely new angle—that of the medicinal and nourishing value of liquor—is furnished by Dr. Edward Huntington Williams, of Los Angeles, California, who contributes an article on "The Peace- and War-Footing of Alcohol" to the Medical Record, of New York.



DR. WILLIAMS believes that the "net results of modern research into the effects of alcohol may be summed up in the simple statement that excessive quantities of alcohol are harmful." But, adds the learned doctor, "a similar statement may be made about at least a hundred other substances." Food, in "excessive quantities," is harmful—so, too, is candy—and even so simple a thing as water, taken in "excessive quantities," is harmful. Excess of any kind is the direct opposite of temperance.

WRITES Dr. Williams: "A leaf from the book of the Great War shows the status of alcohol from a European standpoint. We see the warring nations issuing sweeping edicts against the sale and manufacture of ..... liquors. But, following this, we are given abundant evidence of the belief in the therapeutic value of alcohol by the action of these same governments. England, urging temperance upon her soldiers and civilians, sends liquor to the trenches and hospitals in hundred-thousand-gallon lots. France, having interdicted the use of absinthe, increased the daily wineration of the soldiers. Germany first closed all bars upon mobilization was effected, then lifted the edict against beer, and encouraged its gift to armies and hospitals."

BUT the cleanest-cut phrase of Dr. Williams' able and interesting article relates to the reason why the warring nations permit the soldiers to drink alcoholic beverages. Writes Dr. Williams: *"The beverages are not given as medicine, but as nourishment."*

IT IS A FALLACY to say that the temperate use of alcoholic stimulants is injurious, when it is a FACT vouched for by men of highest medical authority, that—used sanely and moderately—alcoholic beverages are healthful and nourishing.

Pennsylvania State Brewers' Association

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, Aug. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Herwick and three children returned to their home at Elwood City, on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burgess spent the week end with their son at Dickerson Run.

Miss Sylvia Hixenbaugh was a Connellsville shopper yesterday.

Mrs. Ira Blair spent Saturday with friends in Connellsville.

Mrs. Fisher Dunham of Star Junction was visiting relatives here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Murphy attended the funeral of Joe Swartz at Brownsville on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Sisley attended the funeral of Mrs. Gallie Shepler at Rehobeth on Sunday.

N. & W. Coal Shipments.

Shipments of coal over the Norfolk & Western in June amounted to 3,045,650 tons.

Read The Daily Courier.

Cured of Indigestion After Twenty Years of Suffering.

"After suffering for over 20 years with indigestion and having some of the best doctors here tell me there was no cure for me, I think it only right to tell you for the sake of other sufferers as well as to your own satisfaction, that a 25 cent package of Chamberlain's Tablets not only relieved me but cured me within two months," writes Jul. Grobien, 508 Henry Street, Houston, Texas. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

GOLFERS' TROUBLE ON THE GREENS

Nichols Proves Old Saying Putting Wins and Loses Games.

PUTS BLAME ON GRASS.

Kerrigan Joins In Criticism of the Links During the Recent Tournament at Minneapolis—Golfers Boost Chick Evans

The old saying that matches are usually won and lost on the putting greens received further proof in the national open golf championship tournament at Minneapolis Minn Take for instance the experience of Gil Nichols the metropolitan open title holder, who actually played the seventy two holes of the championship proper without getting into a single bunker Any one who can play for two days without once getting trapped seems deserving of almost any honors but the best Gil could do was to finish in the money

The pro from the Great Neck club hit long straight balls and made few mistakes with his irons but when he got within putting distance it became a different story Although no star alibi artist Nichols says that had he been able to putt with anything like reasonable accuracy he would have saved enough strokes to have won with something to spare He declared the greens were anything but true due in a measure to different qualities of grasses no two greens being alike

Have Trouble on the Greens

In this criticism Nichols was by no means alone Tommy Kerrigan the Siwanoy professional being of the same opinion It also was said that Tom McNamara had trouble on the greens and if there is one consistently good putter more than another it is Tommy Mack As Kerrigan aptly said

If McNamara can't putt there must be something the matter with the greens

Several of the professionals were loud in their praise of T S Worthington the English amateur who came to this country a short time ago Although no longer a young man this representative of the Mid Surrey club drives a long ball and handles his irons with the skill of a master Those who watched him play pronounce him a wizard with every club with the exception of the putter But because the Minikahda greens baffled him there seems no reason why the Briton should not make his presence felt at the amateur championship over the Merion Cricket club links in September The greens there will more resemble the kind he has been accustomed to at home

Praise For Golfer Evans

To return to the open not a few of the boys spoke in the highest terms of Charles Evans Jr the western amateur who won the title

"So long as an amateur had to win I don't know any one I'd rather see do the trick than Evans was the way one well known "pro" put it and he added

"Of course Evans was playing fine golf and although he was hitting his putts hard they dropped for him as they sometimes do on western links though he rarely had any luck in the east.

NICK CULLOP CAN LAUGH NOW

Former Federal League Pitcher Has the Guffaw on His Early Critics

Back in April an "expert" handed out this inside or outside tip Nick Cullop will be a joke in the American league He didn't have much in the Federal and hasn't one chance in ten of weathering major league batting"

But for some reason the Chilhowie Krag-Jorgensen, instead of being a failure, has switched the guffaw on six of the best hitting clubs in the Johnson circuit and apparently is destined to become the pitching sensation of the season Twirling for the Yankees with all the brilliance forecast by his performances in the Federal league the Virginian has lodged the harpoon into the White Sox the Indians, Athletics, Browns Tigers and Senators. The only club of which he hasn't taken the measure is the Red Sox, and he hasn't faced them

Strategy.

"Nora has just dropped another plate," said Mrs Twobble

"Well, my dear" replied Mr. Twobble, "suppose you go into the kitchen and drop a hint to the effect that she must not break any more china?

"Evidently you don't know how to manage Nora If I lead her to believe that we rather enjoy having her break a plate occasionally I think she will be more careful"—Birmingham Age Herald.

Maurice McLoughlin Is Confident Of Winning Back Tennis Title

Photo by American Press Association

MANY lawn tennis experts are of the opinion that Maurice McLoughlin the former national champion will regain his lost laurels this season Last year on the west side tennis courts Forest Hills N Y, he was defeated by William Johnston for the title All the games were hotly contested but the younger man won with a little to spare Some critics were of the opinion that McLoughlin was not in the best shape They believed the Comet as he is called appeared stale while others stated that Johnston had discovered a weak spot in Mac's play McLoughlin has had a long rest since then and with a few weeks play here should be able to put forth his best McLoughlin recently stated he was sure he would regain his lost honors this year The national lawn tennis championship tournament will begin on the west side tennis courts Forest Hills N Y Aug 28

Photo shows McLoughlin and his smile

GROW, BUT DON'T SWELL.

Save Exertion of Boasting and Use It In Doing Your Tasks

It is well for you to have confidence in your ability but when it reaches the stage of swelled headedness your value to yourself or to any one else begins to dwindle

"Some men grow with responsibility others merely swell The man who swells has ceased to grow

He has reached a place where he thinks he has all the knowledge he needs and naturally all growth is retarded

The best way—the most convincing way—to prove one's capability is by actions not words

The fellow who is continually bragging about what he can do is seldom of much account

It is the man who does things in a quick intelligent manner who wins

Such a man will be found at the top because he deserves to be there

All concerns want him because he not only accomplishes much as the result of his concentrated endeavor but his influence is good on the other employees

Save the exertion it takes to tell what you can do and use it in performing your tasks In this way you will get so much consideration eventually that you will not be tempted to brag

The other fellow will do it for you—Louisville Herald

Cheeky John Forster

In "William Harrison Ainsworth and His Friends the author S M Ellis tells a quaint story of Ainsworth and his friend John Forster Ainsworth had discovered a fine set of Hogarth's engravings which was held at £5 a sum which he said I could not just then spare or at least did not think I ought to spare I took John Forster down to see the Hogarths whereupon he actually said that he would and must have them himself and as he had not £5 of loose money at that moment I should lend that sum to him I pointed out the absurdity of the position—that I wanted the engravings for myself and could not afford to lay out the money, how then could I lend it—to him? It was of no use He overruled me had the £5 of me and bought the Hogarths I was longing for"

HUGHIE JENNINGS IS AMUSED

Already Has Contract of Watson Texas Pitcher

Manager Jennings of the Detroit baseball club has been amused at stories published in American league cities that baseball scouts have been closely watching the work of Pitcher Watson a left hand twirler who until recently was with the Trinity (Tex) university team

When the Tigers were at Waxahachie last winter Watson burst into prominence by striking out twenty six batters of the Texas Christian university team in a fourteen inning game Manager Jennings took official notice of the feat watched Watson in a practice workout and Watson's signed contract now is in President Navin's safe

The youngster will play with the Houston (Tex) club this season after which he will be recalled by the Tigers it was announced

A Narrow Escape

I near had a scrap this morning confided a slender young lawyer whom you wouldn't suspect of being belligerent

Who with we asked with no regard for grammar

Jimmie Squiggs I guess I spoke hastily to him Anyhow he got the idea that I wanted to lick him

Well what did he do?

He took it on the run Honest, he did three blocks in about twelve seconds before I could say a word"

That's going some for a big man like Squiggs

Ain't it? And it didn't do him a bit of good I was half a block ahead of him every step of the way —Cleveland Plain Dealer

His Grit an Asset

Vance Molyneaux the Villanova college pitcher and football star given a trial by Manager Rowland injured a first finger of his throwing hand by a batted ball in practice but refused to go home Rowland may farm this college hurler out for future reference He likes his grit

Just as you are pleased at finding faults you are displeased at finding perfection —Lavater

AFRICAN ELEPHANTS.

They May Be In Captivity, but They Are Never In Subjection

For many reasons the chase of the elephant stands at the apex of sport. As a man killer in open combat he ranks with the lion and the African buffalo He is the only beast that fears no other While he will almost invariably run from the scent of man he is as invariably ready to attack on the slightest provocation Fear does not exist for him His overwhelming bulk power, speed and intelligence make him supreme beyond the range of rivalry

As though this were not enough to establish his pre-eminence he alone carries a trophy which is one of the staple products of the industrial world The value of ivory rises It never fluctuates Nor is this all In the mind of the east the elephant is intimately associated with dignity pomp pageantry and kingship But in the mind of the native African he is king—a king in his own right.

In this regard let it be affirmed that no elephant born in Africa has ever docilely paced a hippodrome stage trundled a circus wagon or taken children for a ride in the park Those sleepy walking cattle known to the American public as elephants come from India and are mere distant cousins to the king You may have seen the African elephant in captivity but never in subjection Chain him to the floor behind iron bars, and after ten years he is still quick to throw muck in the face of the man that jeers at him —George Agnew Chamberlin in Century

CHLOROFORM IN SURGERY.

The Horrors That Were Stopped by Its Use as an Anaesthetic

Sir James Simpson who was connected with the medical department of Edinburgh university if not actually the discoverer of chloroform was at any rate the first to introduce its employment as an anaesthetic into surgical practice This was in 1848

Previously all operations were performed without anaesthetics the patient being drugged with whisky and held down by strong men while the operation was performed No medical discovery ever did more to alleviate human suffering

Sir James is generally given credit for the actual discovery of chloroform but it is stated in some works that it was discovered some years previous to his first experiments by an American doctor named Cutorie and by a French physician named Southeglan In any case it was Dr Simpson who proved its great value as an anaesthetic and the room in which he made his first experiments still exists in Edinburgh

The story goes that he tried the chloroform on himself and two medical friends They proved its efficacy by simultaneously falling beneath the table Sir James had considerable prejudice to overcome before chloroform was adopted generally by the medical profession it being denounced at one time as dangerous to health morals and religion — Pearson's Weekly

The Seal Ring

The seal ring dates back to the days of the Old Testament, and products of the glyptic art as gem engraving was called were known in the most remote times In Exodus xxviii 17-20 mention is made of the following stones upon which the names of the twelve children of Israel were engraved The sardius the topaz, the carbuncle the emerald the sapphire the diamond the ligure the agate the amethyst beryl onyx and jasper In verse 2 of the same chapter we find mention of the engraving of signets upon the hardest stones It is believed that the Egyptians instructed the Israelites in the art of stone engraving. The Egyptians used the lapidary's wheel and emery powder and knew the use of the diamond in engraving other hard stones Among the Assyrian and Babylonian ruins were found fine specimens of signets on gems, many of them set in rings

Dublin Castle

Dublin castle has a history of over seven centuries for it was King John who in 1204 ordered it to be built well fortified with good fosses and thick walls strong enough to defend or control the city Henry III when about to visit Ireland in 1243 ordered the addition of a hall with sufficient windows and glass casements and other improvements were made in succeeding reigns particularly by the Duke of Clarence son of Edward III who as viceroy spent much money on the castle to make it convenient (as his father complained when called upon to pay) for his sports and other pleasures"—London Standard

Realistic Play

Can't you children play without continually ringing the doorbell? asked mother who had been trying in vain to get an afternoon nap

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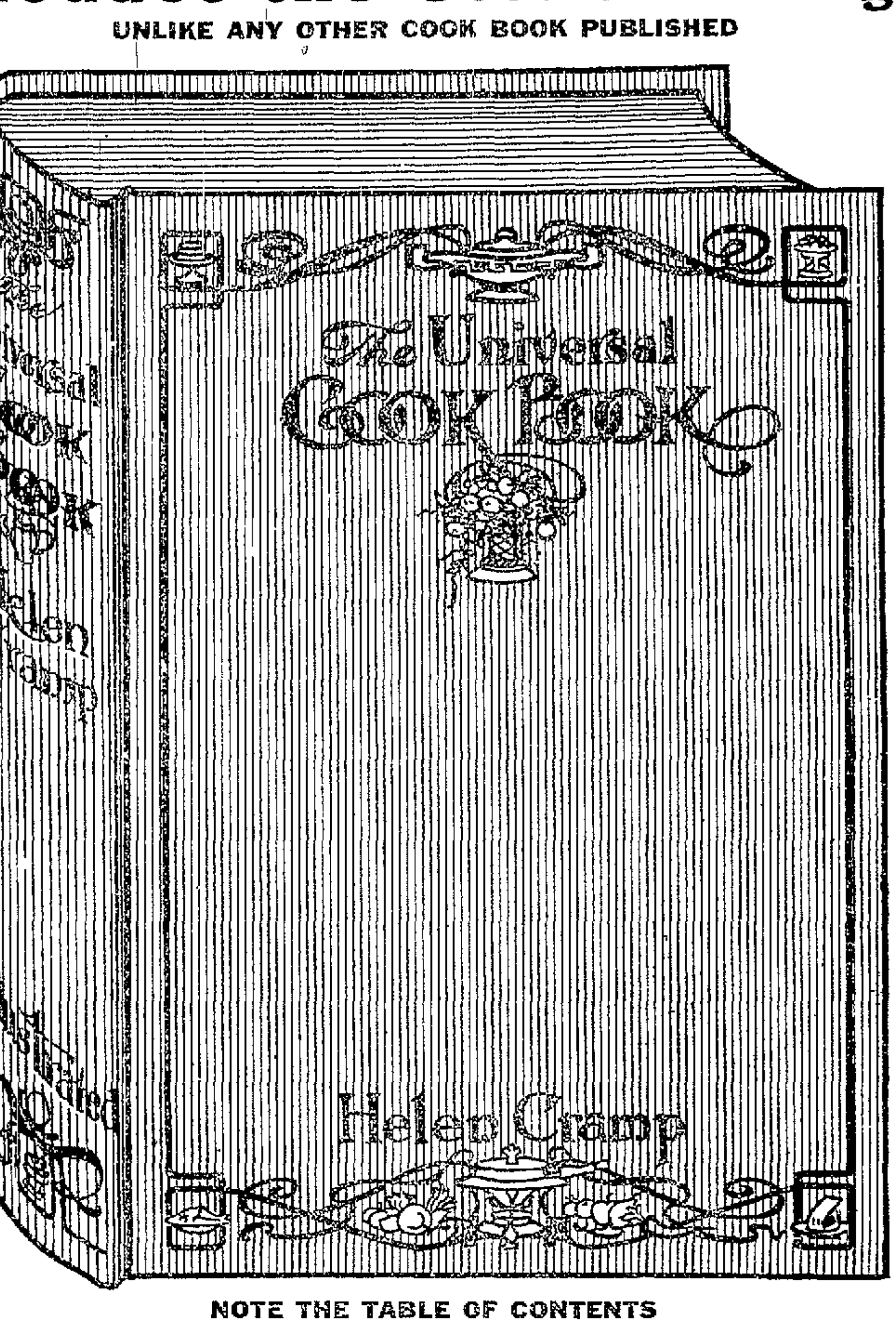

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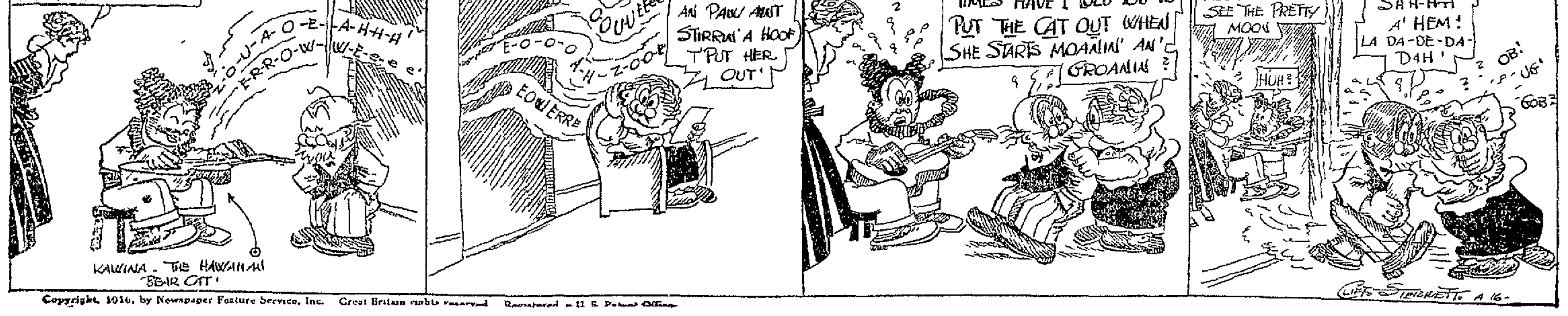

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Beyond the Frontier

by RANDALL PARRISH

A Romance of Early Days in the Middle West

Author of "Keith of the Border," "My Lady of Doubt," "The Maid of the Forest," etc.

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"I shall go with you, messieurs," I said quietly. "There will be no more danger there than here; besides, you would not leave me alone without a guard, and you will need every fighting man."

I felt the grip of Rene's hand, but it was La Forest's voice that spoke.

"The right ring to that, hey, D'Artigny! Madame answers my last argument. But first let us have word with the chief."

He addressed a word into the crowd of indistinguishable figures, and an Indian came forward. Dim as the light was, I was impressed with the dignity of his carriage, the firm character of his facial outline.

"I am Sequitah, chief of the Mascoutins," he said gravely, "for whom the white chief sent."

D'Artigny stepped forward, standing as erect as the other.

"Sequitah is great chief," he said quietly, "a warrior of many battles, the friend of La Salle. We have smoked the peacepipe together, and walked side by side on the war-trail. Sequitah knows who speaks?"

"The French warrior they call D'Artigny."

"Right; 'tis not the first time you and I have met the Iroquois! The wolves are here again; they have burned the villages of the Illinois, and killed your women and children. The valley is black with smoke, and red with blood. What says the war chief of the Mascoutins—will his warriors fight? Will they strike with us a blow against the beasts?"

The chief swept his hand in wide circle.

"We are warriors; we have tasted blood. What are the white man's words of wisdom?"

Briefly, in quick, ringing sentences D'Artigny outlined his plan. Sequitah listened motionless, his face unexpressive of emotion. Twice, confused by some French phrase, he asked grave questions, and once a courier du bois spoke up in his own tongue, to make the meaning clear. As D'Artigny ceased the chief stood for a moment silent.

"We leap upon them from cover?" he asked calmly, "and the white men will sally forth to aid us?"

"'Tis so we expect—M. de Tonty is never averse to a fight."

"I believe in the Iron Hand; but 'tis told me others command now. If they fail, we are but few against many."

"They will not fail, Sequitah; they are Frenchmen."

The Indian folded his hands across his breast, his eyes on the two men facing him. There was silence, but for the slight rustle of moving bodies in the darkness.

"Sequitah hears the voice of his friend," he announced at last, "and his words sound wise. The warriors of the Illini will fight beside the white men."

There was no time lost, although I know but little of what occurred, being left alone there while La Forest and D'Artigny divided the men, and arranged the plans of advance. The dense night shrouded much of this hasty preparation, for all I could perceive were flitting figures, or the black shadow of warriors being grouped together. I could hear voices, never loud, giving swift orders, or calling to this or that individual through the gloom.

A party tramped by me, and disappeared twenty or more naked warriors, headed by a black-bearded Frenchman, bearing a long rifle—the detachment, no doubt, dispatched to guard the slope east of the trail, and hurried forth to cover the greater distance. Yet these could have scarcely advanced far through that jungle when the others were also in line, waiting the word.

The very silence in which all this was accomplished, the noiseless bodies, the almost breathless attention, scarcely enabled me to realize the true meaning of it all. These men were going into battle, into a death grapple. They meant to attack five times their own number. This was no boy's play; it was war, savage, relentless war. The stern horror of it seemed to suddenly grip me as with icy fingers. Here was what I had read of, dreamed of, being enacted before my very eyes. I was even a part of it, for I was going with them to the field of blood.

Yet how different everything was from those former pictures of imagination. There was no noise, no excitement, no shrinking—just those silent motionless men standing in the positions assigned to them, the dim light gleaming on their naked bodies, their ready weapons.

I heard the voices of the white men speaking quietly, giving last instructions as they passed along the lines. Sequitah took his place, not two yards from me, standing like a statue, his face stern and emotionless. Out of the darkness came D'Artigny, pausing an instant before the chief.

"All is well, Sequitah?"

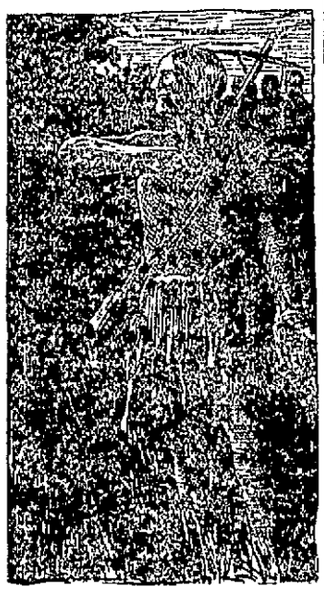
"Good—'tis as the white chief wishes."

"Then we move at once; La Forest will guide the rear; you and I will march together. Give your warriors the word."

He turned and took my hand.

"You will walk with me, dear one; you are not afraid?"

"Not of the peril of coming battle," I answered. "I—I think I hardly realize what that all means; but the risk



"The Warriors of the Illini Will Fight Beside the White Men."

you run, Rene! If—if you win, you will be a prisoner condemned to death."

He laughed, and bent low, so I felt his lips brush my cheek.

"You do not understand, dear girl. A moment and I will explain—once we are beyond the stream. Now I must see that all move together."

We advanced through the woods down a slight incline, the Indians moving like so many phantoms. Not a branch rattled as they glided silently forward, not a leaf rustled beneath the soft tread of moccasined feet. D'Artigny led me by the hand, aiding me to move quietly over the uneven ground, but made no effort to speak. Beside us, not unlike a shadow, strode the chief Sequitah, his stern face upliftted, shadowed by long black hair, a rifle gripped in his sinewy arms. We crossed the little river, D'Artigny bearing me easily in his grasp, and, on the opposite shore, waited for the others to follow. They came, a long line of dark, shadowy forms, wading cautiously through the shallow water, and ranged themselves just below the bank, many still standing in the stream. What light there was flickered over naked bodies, and revealed savage eyes gleaming from out masses of black hair.

D'Artigny stepped forward on the exposed root of a tree to where he could see his dusky followers, and La Forest climbed the bank and joined him. A moment the two men conferred, turning about to question Sequitah. As they separated I could distinguish D'Artigny's final words.

"Very well, then, if it is your wish I take command. Sequitah, a hundred warriors will follow you along the trail—you know it well. Have your best scouts in advance, and circle your braves so as to make attack impossible. Your scouts will not go beyond the great rock except on my order. M. la Forest will accompany them. This is clear?"

The Indian muttered response in his own tongue; then spoke more rapidly, and the mass of warriors below changed formation, the greater number climbing the bank, and grouping themselves in the darker shadow of the woods.

"Who has charge of the others?" asked D'Artigny.

"Bastian Courtray," replied La Forest. "He is yonder."

"Then, Courtray, listen: You follow the stream, but do not venture from cover. Post your men below the stockade and wait to intercept fugitives. We will do the fighting above. Are the warriors with you armed?"

"All but ten have rifles, monsieur, but I know not if they be of value."

"You must make the best use of them you can. Above all things, be quiet, and do nothing to alarm the Iroquois. You may go."

I leaned forward, watching them as they waded downstream, and then climbed the bank, appearing in the undergrowth. Sequitah had moved past me, and I heard his voice speaking in Indian dialect. Along the forest aisles his warriors glided by where I stood, noiselessly as shadows. In another moment D'Artigny and I were alone, the black night all about us, and not a sound reaching our ears to tell of those vanished allies. He took my hand, a caress in his touch, a suggestion of pride in his voice.

"The old chief is warrior still," he said "and, unless all signs fail, the Iroquois will long remember this day. Come, Adele, 'twill not do for us to be far behind, and we have walked this trail before together."

Had I not tested it with my own ears, never would I have believed a hundred men could have made way so noiselessly in the dark, through such thick forest, rock strewn and deeply rutted. Yet not a sound of their stealthy passage was wafted back to us on the wind—no echo of voice, no rasping of foot, no rustle of leaves. Ghosts could not have moved more silently. Somehow the very thought that these grim savages were thus creeping forward to attack and kill, their hearts mad with hate, wild beasts of prey stalking their victims, yielded me a strange feeling of horror. I clung to D'Artigny's arm, shrinking from the shadows, my mind filled with nameless fear.

"Adele," he whispered, tenderly, "you will fear for me in this venture?"

"Yes, monsieur."

"There is no need. You heard La Forest say he bore orders of the king to give De Tonty command once more of Fort St. Louis."

"Yes, monsieur; but you have already been tried and condemned. Even if they have not authority to shoot you here, they have power to transport to Quebec."

"There would be battle first, if I know my old comrades well. No, as to that there is no cause to fear. I shall be given fair trial now, and welcome it. My fear has been for you—the vengeance of Cassion, if ever you came within his grasp again. But that also is settled."

"Settled? What is it you would tell me?"

"This, sweetheart; you should know, although I would that some other might tell you. La Forest whispered it to me while we were alone yonder, for he knew not you were estranged from your husband. He bears with him the king's order for the arrest of M. Cassion. Captain de Baugis is commissioned by La Barre to return him safely to Quebec for trial."

"On what charge?"

"Treason to France; the giving of false testimony against a king's officer, and the concealing of official records."

"Mon Dieu! Was it the case of my father?"

"Yes; the truth has been made clear. There is, as I understand from what La Forest told me, not sufficient evidence against La Barre to convict, yet 'tis believed the case will cost him his office. But M. Cassion was his agent, and is guilty beyond a doubt."

"But, monsieur, who made the charges? Who brought the matter to the attention of Louis?"

"The Comte de Frontenac; he was your father's friend, and won him restoration of his property. Not until La Forest met him in France was he aware of the wrong done Captain le Chesnayne. Later he had converse with La Salle, a Franciscan once stationed at Montreal, and two officers of the regiment of Carignan-Salliers. Armed with information thus gained, he made appeal to Louis. 'Tis told me the king was so angry he signed the order of arrest with his own hand, and handed it to La Forest to execute."

"The governor knows?"

"Not yet. La Forest felt it best to keep the secret, fearing he might be detained, or possibly ambushed on the way hither."

I cannot describe my feelings—joy, sorrow, memory of the past overwhelming me. My eyes were wet with tears, and I could find no words. D'Artigny seemed to understand, yet he made no effort to speak, merely holding me close with his strong arm. So in silence, our minds upon the past and the future, we followed the savages through the black night along the dim trail. For the time I forgot where I was, my weird, ghastly surroundings, the purpose of our stealthy advance, and remembered only my father, and the scenes of childhood. He must have comprehended, for he made no attempt to interrupt my reverie, and his silence drew me closer—the steady pressure of his arm brought me peace.

Suddenly before us loomed the shadow of the great rock, which rose a mighty barrier across the trail, its crest outlined against the sky. The Indians had halted here, and we pressed forward through them, until we came to where the chief and La Forest waited. There was a growing tinge of light in the eastern sky, enabling us to perceive each other's faces. All was tense, expectant, the Indians scarcely venturing to breathe, the two white men conversing in whispers. Sequitah stood motionless as a statue, his lips tightly closed.

Suddenly Before Us Loomed the Shadow of the Great Rock.

"Your scouts ventured no farther?" questioned D'Artigny.

"No; 'twas not safe, one man scaled the rock, and reports the Iroquois just beyond."

"They hide in covert where I suspected them; but I would see with my own eyes. There is crevice here, as I remember, to give foothold. Ay, here it is, an easy passage enough. Come, La Forest, a glance ahead will make clear my plans."

The two clambered up noiselessly, and outstretched themselves on the flat surface above. The dawn brightened, almost imperceptibly, so I could distinguish the savage forms on either side, some standing, some squatting on the grass, all motionless but alert, their weapons gleaming, their cruel eyes glittering from excitement. La Forest descended cautiously and turned toward me.

"Madame D'Artigny would have you join him."

Surprised at the request I rested my foot in his hand, and crept forward along the smooth surface until I lay beside Rene. He glanced aside into my face.

"Do not lift your head," he whispered. "Peer through this cleft in the stone."

Before us was a narrow opening devoid of vegetation, a sterile patch of stone and sand, and beyond this a fringe of trees, matted with underbrush below so as to make good screen, but sufficiently thinned out above, so that, from our elevation, we could look through the interlaced branches across the cleared space where the timber had been chopped away to the palisades of the fort. The first space was filled with warriors, crouching behind the cover of underbrush. Most of these were lying down, or upon their knees, watchfully peering through toward the fort gates, but a few were standing, or moving cautiously about bearing word of command.

"Monsieur," I whispered timidly, "you can never attack; there are too many."

"They appear more numerous than they are," he answered confidently, "but it will be a stiff fight. Not all Tuscaroras either; there are Eries yonder to the right, and a few renegade Mohawks with them. Look, by the foot of that big tree, the fellow in war bonnet and deerskin shirt—what make you of him?"

"A white man in spite of his paint."

"'Twas my guess also. I thought it likely they had a renegade with them, for this is not Indian strategy. La Forest was of the same opinion, although 'twas too dark when he was here for us to make sure."

"For what are they waiting and watching?"

"The gates to open, no doubt. If they suspect nothing within, they will send out a party soon to reconnoiter the trail, and reach the river below for water. It is the custom, and, no doubt, these devils know, and will wait their chance. They urge the laggards now."

We lay and watched them, his hand clasping mine. Those warriors who had been lying prone rose to their knees, and weapons in hand, crouched for a spring; the chiefs scattered, careful to keep concealed behind cover. Not a sound reached us, every movement noiseless, the orders conveyed by gesture of the hand. D'Artigny pressed my fingers.

(To Be Continued.)

FUTURE OF ALASKA.

A Comparison of Our Territory With the Scandinavian Countries.

Alaska has the same latitude as Denmark, Norway, Sweden and Finland and similar climatic conditions. The same development may be expected in Alaska that has obtained in those Scandinavian countries, increased and intensified by her enormously great latent resources.

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The Scandinavian countries have 12,000,000 population and 14,000,000 head of live stock. Applying the same ratio to the available lands of Alaska would give her a population of 30,000,000, with 50,000,000 live stock.—Hon. A. Barton Hepburn in Leslie's.

SHAPE OF THE SHOE.

It is Radically Wrong, and All on Account of the Last.

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"Any reform in the shape of shoes must begin with the shoemaker's last. Shoemakers do not seem to be able to get away from form and beauty in shaping it. It is shaped largely by guess and is pointed and turned up at the toe. No normal foot is so shaped.

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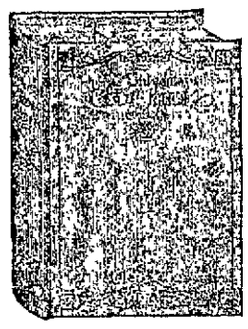

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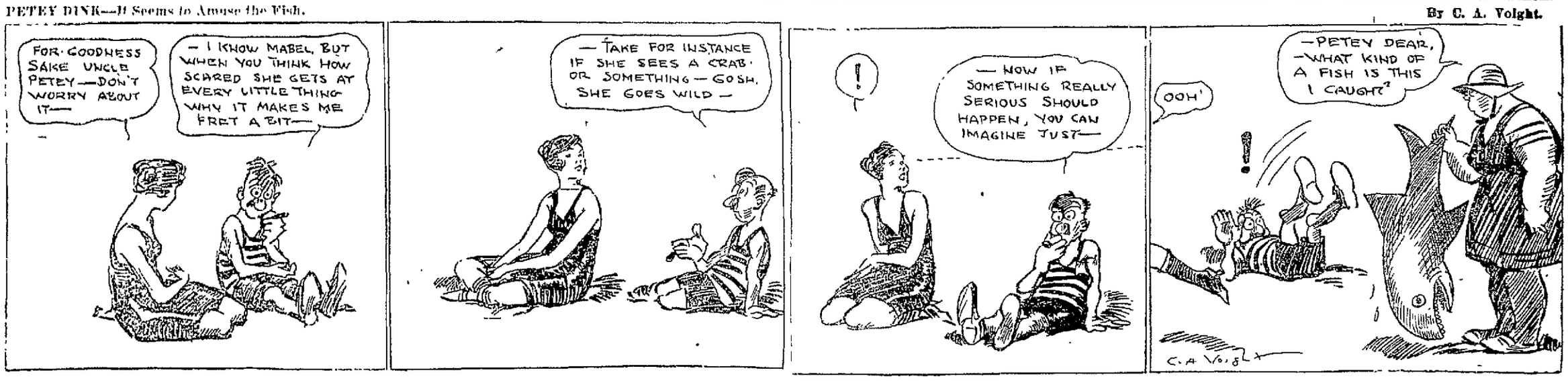

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No. 3 Pulls Out Just as the Physician is About to Board: He Tumbles into Auto and Races for Uniontown, but Correspondent Doubts His Success.

Special to The Courier.

SMITHFIELD, Aug. 16.—The following named persons on Charles A. Swope's route, R. F. D. No. 3, in appreciation of his faithful service during the past year contributed the amounts set opposite their names with which they purchased a fine leather rocker and presented it to him: Nannie B. Crago, $1.00; Andrew Rubrza, 50c; Andrew Robek, 50c; Dr. J. R. Goodwin, $1.00; Mrs. J. H. Moser, 50c; John H. Dils, 50c; Lisa Lulu Morris, 25c; Mrs. Laura Hustead, 25c; Asa Walters, $1.00; George Hillen, 50c; Nicholas Honecker, 50c; Violet Riley, 50c; Lottie Riley, 50c; J. H. Crago, 50c; Tillie Durr, 10c; total, $8.10. Mr. Swope desires to thank the donors for their mark of appreciation.

Ray Anderson of Masontown, was a business visitor Tuesday.

Dr. J. R. Goodwin of Bowwood, came here to take No. 3 for Pittsburg Tuesday morning. He just missed it by a scratch and maybe he wasn't mad—wow-zowie. He ran to Saylor's livery stable where he had left his car and cranked her up and started to beat the train to Uniontown, which in view of the fact that No. 3 does not stop any more at Fairchance, it is doubtful if he did.

Miss Annie Cook was a shopper at Uniontown yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Miller of Allison are the guests of Mrs. W. R. Clark.

Mrs. Ernest Malone was a Uniontown shopper Monday.

Mrs. J. Shaffer of Scottdale, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. E. C. Roderick was a Uniontown shopper Monday.

A. J. Smith was a Uniontown business visitor Tuesday.

Ira Dils, who was injured in falling from the roof of a stable he was painting and was thought to be fatally hurt, will recover. He was able to be out and walk around yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs A. C. Kiger and son William motored to Wharton township Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rolf of near Farmington.

The Grangers held a business meeting at the home of Joseph Thomas in Georges township Monday night. Some new members were taken in.

Si Musgrove of Scottdale, visited Mrs. Sarah Shoaf, his sister, over Sunday.

The funeral of W. C. Sackett on Monday was largely attended.

Mrs. William Hixly, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Caroline Young, for several days, returned to her home in Richmond, Indiana, Monday.

Edward Dougherty of Connellsville, was here for the funeral of W. C. Sackett on Monday.

Glen Davis and sister, Miss Grace, returned to their home in Uniontown after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Conn.

O. P. Griffin of Old Frame, was a business visitor Tuesday.

Potato growers in this vicinity wondered what became of the potato bugs so plentiful in the forepart of the season. On investigation the mystery was solved. They found the ground under the vines literally covered with the dead beetles, killed by the protracted heat. The exceesively hot sunshiny days the last of July and first of August literally roasting them.

The annual picnic of the Sunday Schools of town and surrounding country will be held in Weaver's Grove Saturday, August 19. This is one of the main events in the picnic line in this vicinity and always attracts a large crowd.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, Aug. 16.—The annual picnic of the Reformed Sunday School is being held today at Peck's Grove.

The Misses Lulu and Nan Hocking entertained a few of their friends at their home on Meyers avenue on Monday evening. The diversions were music and fancy work, after which refreshments were served

Mrs C. E Crowe and daughter Dorothy, left Monday for a visit with the former's son-in-law and daughter, Professor and Mrs. R. T. MacLaren at Williamsport, Pa.

Mrs. C. E. Deal returned today from Elkins, W. Va., where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Dull departed yesterday for Connellsville, where they will spend a week visiting friends.

Mrs. J. C. Parsons and two children of Dawson, are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hocking.

Russell Younkin of Markleton, spent Monday evening with Meyersdale relatives.

Miss Alice Friedline has gone to Charlerol, where she expects to remain for a few weeks visiting her friend, Miss Ada Mitchell.

Mrs. Alvin Getty and her sister, Mrs Stiner of Cumberland, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Lichty.

Miss Elizabeth Shandt has gone on a two weeks visit with friends in Akron, O.

A. P. Truxal of St. Louis, Mo, is here for a month's visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Truxal.

Miss Gertrude Dixon of Connellsville, is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Dixon.

DICKERSON RU'N.

DICKERSON RUN Aug 16—Ira D. Bailey returned to his work at Curtisville Monday morning after spending Sunday visiting his family at Vanderbilt.

William Danielson of Newell spent Sunday with his family at Vanderbilt.

Oda Gray of Vanderbilt has moved his family to Alliance, Ohio.

William Brown returned to his work at Brownsville yesterday morning after spending Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brown of Bridge street, Dawson.

Harry Kooser of Pittsburg spent Saturday and Sunday here with his family.

Miss Marion Fieldson returned to Pittsburg Monday morning after a very pleasant visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fieldson.

William Forsythe returned to his work at Youngstown, Ohio, yesterday morning after spending a day here with relatives and friends.

J. F. Black and H. H. Lohm spent Sunday visiting Biddle Hornbeck at Pittsburg.

C O Schroyer of Uniontown was the guest of Dawson friends yesterday.

Mrs. Mollie Featherlingham of Connellsville is spending a few days here isiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Keffer.

Dr. and Mrs. George B Marshall and son Dale returned to their home at Norticalville yesterday after spending a week here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs John Lint

Hunting Bargains?
If so, read our advertising columns.

Baseball at a Glance

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Pittsburg 1; St. Louis 0.
Pittsburg 2; St Louis 1.
Philadelphia 1; New York 0
Boston 4, Brooklyn 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	63	38	8.624
Boston	59	40	.596
Philadelphia	61	42	.592
New York	52	50	.510
Pittsburg	46	53	.465
Chicago	46	60	.431
St. Louis	47	64	.424
Cincinnati	43	68	.387

Today's Schedule.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
New York 6, Philadelphia 2.
*Boston 1; Washington 0.

*13 innings.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Per
Boston	63	45	.583
Cleveland	62	48	.564
Chicago	62	49	.559
St. Louis	60	52	.536
Detroit	60	53	.531
New York	57	52	.523
Washington	52	56	.481
Philadelphia	22	83	.210

Today's Schedule.
Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
Detroit at Washington.

STAR JUNCTION WINS.

Pittsburg Team Goes Down to Defeat by Score of 4 to 3 in Fast Game.

Star Junction defeated the Pittsburg Steel Products team at Star Junction yesterday by a score of 4 to 3. The visiting team made two runs in the second and one in the fifth inning. Star Junction bunched at its runs in the fourth.

The features of the game were stolen bases by Lammie and a catch made in center field by Dunham, both of Star Junction, and the two-base hit by Elliott of Pittsburg. Star Junction made six hits off Harkins in six innings while the visitors scored seven hits off Brightwell in nine innings. The Pittsburg batetry was Hargins and Rivers; Satr Junction Brightwell and Lammie. The Star Junction players are open to meet any team in Fayette county.

Dysentery in Alabama.
"My little 4 year old boy had a severe attack of dysentery. We gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and believe it saved his life," says William H Stribling, Carbon Hill, Ala. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv

Read the advertisements today.

A MELLOW FLAVOR THAT LASTS

Chew "American Navy" and Get Real Tobacco Taste

HIGH QUALITY, BIG VALUE

All the enjoyment and satisfaction of tobacco is in the *taste*. The only way to *taste* tobacco is to *chew* it. And the form of chew that gives you the most taste is the *plug* form.

Compare a sweet, juicy chew of American Navy plug with a chew of the best "scrap" tobacco Right away you'll see how much more tasty and enjoyable is American Navy.

American Navy is made entirely of *whole* leaf—the same leaf that is used in making good cigars—and the sweet, savory juices that nature puts into the leaf are pressed evenly through the whole plug, so that every chew of American Navy fills you plumb full of tasty satisfaction.

And that choice flavor of American Navy *lasts*.

Get a 5c or 10c cut of American Navy from your dealer and try it. That will convince you.

SOISSON THEATRE

CHILDREN 5 — "THE HOUSE OF LILIES" — ADULTS 10

TO-DAY

J. WARREN KERRIGAN IN THE BLUEBIRD DRAMA
"The Silent Battle"

HOBART HENLEY IN THE LAEMMLE DRAMA
"My Lady's Million's"

EDDIE LYONS IN THE NESTOR COMEDY
"Beer Must Go Down"

POWERS EDUCATIONAL DRAMA
"Rough Riders of India"

—TOMORROW—

PEARL WHITE IN THE INTERESTING SERIAL
"THE IRON CLAW"

PARAMOUNT THEATRE

TODAY

The Home of the Pipe Organ.

TRIANGLE PRESENTS DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS IN
"FLIRTING WITH FATE"
FINE ARTS PRODUCTION IN FIVE ACTS.

FRITZ SHADE, DALE FULLER AND JULIA FAYE IN
"THE SURF GIRL"
KEYSTONE COMEDY IN TWO ACTS.

—TOMORROW—

MUTUAL PRESENTS WILLIAM RUSSELL IN
"THE HIGHEST BID"
AN INTENSE SOCIOLOGICAL DRAMA IN FIVE ACTS, WITH CHARLOTTE BURTON AND A SPLENDID CAST

HELEN GIBSON IN
"THE ENGINEER'S HONOR"
RAILROAD DRAMA.

WILLIAM FOX PHOTOPLAY SUPREME RELEASED THROUGH Fox Film CORPORATION

Arcade Theatre

TODAY

William Fox Presents
THEDA BARA
World Famed Vampire in a Six-Part Version of

"The Serpent"

A Tale of Russian Peasant Life in Which Miss Bara is Seen as the Daughter of a Serf.

AFTER BEING HELD UP FOR NEARLY FIVE MONTHS THIS GREAT FOX FEATURE IS NOW RELEASED WITHOUT ANY ELIMINATIONS WHATEVER.

THE HEAST INTERNATIONAL NEWS.
A Single Reel Feature.
Latest War News, Fashions, Cartoon and Many Other Interesting Up-to-the-Minute Topics.

Kelly and Smith Accuse England of Handling Them Brutally

JOSEPH SMITH THOMAS HUGHES KELLY

Thomas H. Kelly and Joseph Smith, who sailed from New York on July 15 on the Philadelphia to distribute $50,000 that had been collected here for Irish relief and were not allowed to land in England got back to New York on the same vessel. They complain of rough and brutal treatment at the hands of British officials.

Wright-Metzler Co.

Children Amuse Themselves

—With these totally different, interesting and instructive playthings. There are books with beautiful things for children to make; playthings which they make themselves; dolls to be dressed; cards of greeting to be made; and so on through a lengthy list. **The price is 35c.**

—Also various outfits put up in boxes, such as:

—LITTLE PEOPLE FROM MOTHER GOOSE—A complete book-making outfit consisting of printed pages, pictures to be cut out and pasted in on the paper blank pages. A cover, picture and title to be pasted on the cover, blunt scissors and paste. "Little People of the Garden" is another of the several belonging to this series They sell for 60c.

—"Craft Work for Children," which is along the lines of peg printing and construction, sells for 60c.

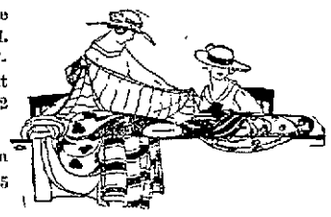
—"The Magic Balance Book," containing birds animals, which, when properly cut out and pasted together, will balance on the finger Price 60c.

—The "Red Riding Hood Picture and Building Book," and "Mother Goose Picture Building Book" sell for 60c.

—Another complete working outfit called "YARNS FOR CHILDREN TO READ AND SEW," is priced at 60c.

—Women who do their Fall Sewing early are always first and better prepared. You may commence any time now for the

New Fall Silks and Dress Goods are Coming in Each Day



—35 in Gros de Londre, $2 yd.
—35 in. Chiffon Taffeta, at $1.50, $1.75, $2 yard.
—35 in. Satin Messaline $1.25 yard.
—35 inch Plaids and Stripes to sell for $2.00 yard.
—36 in to 50 in. Storm Serges at 59c to $2.00 yard.
—42 in. Fram Cloth to sell for $1.25 yard.
—36 in. to 50 in. French Serge, 59c to $1.50 yard.
—50 inch Epingles to sell for $1.75 the yard.
—50 inch Gabardines to sell for $1.50 to $2.00 yard.
—Pictorial Review Fashion Book for Sept. and any 15c Pattern for 25c.
—Pictorial Magazine, 15c.
—Pic. Rev. Patterns, 10c and 15c.
—Pic. Rev. Fashion Sheets Free.

SPECIALS

—$1.10 and $1.00 Silk Hose, 79c. A cleanup of odd lots in sizes 9, 9½ and 10.

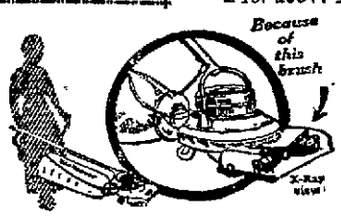
—35c and 50c Turk Towels 28c. Seconds A large assortment of both plain and fancy towels.

—50c White Silk Boot Hose, 39c. A belated shipment which will comes as a little surprise to our customers No more when these are sold. We doubt if there are any more as good for the price.

—50c, 65c, 75c Turk Towels, 37c. Seconds Both plain and fancy Your last chance to buy such towels at his price

—Auto Caps now Half Price. Formerly 65c to $2 50. Now 33c to $1 25.

—Everyone will want to read "When a Man's a Man," by Harold Bell Wright.



See the World's Only Electric Carpet Sweeper

THE HOOVER SUCTION SWEEPER

—Sweeps up hair, lint, threads, that adhere to the nap of your carpets and rugs—shakes to the surface the grit and dust that's ground deep into the body of your carpets and rugs—the suction carries away all dirt.

Carpet Dept.—2nd Floor.

Cretonnes Greatly Needed and Little Priced

—August brings a hundred uses for durable and artistic cretonnes. And the Drapery Department has a fine collection in charming colors and designs at **25c and 35c a yard.**

—The economical housekeeper will also do well to look over the remnants of cretonnes and printed linens that have accumulated these last few weeks—they are at little prices.

Royal Society Art Embroidery Packages for Fall, Now Ready.

When You Write Letters Home This Summer

—You will be glad you remembered to equip yourself with plenty of the stationery you like A matter of only a few minutes if you go to the right stationery store Find in the W.-M Stationery Section an assortment that is a real delight to examine, so complete and varied and so expertly chosen

—A vacation special is "Crane's Linen Lawn" in a box containing a quire of paper and the needed envelopes in pink, blue, grey or violet. Tissue lined panelled paper with colored border. Price $1.25.

—Crane's "Raveledge Vellum" at $1.00 and $1.25.

—Other styles in white and colors at 35c to $1.25 box.

The Psychic Influence of

A Heap of Bath Towels

—It is no harm to call it psychic. Anything that reminds us these days of the cold, splashing water,—eager, gushing water—is refreshing to the psychic qualities of one's being. Bath Towels are about the one and only good excuse that our linen section can discover for the use of cotton. These people are prejudiced against cotton, but here, at least, they have to give in. They know that there's nothing like sift and spongy cotton yarn for making good Bath Towels We believe we have all the worth-while kinds of Cotton Bath Towels here and their prices are fairly based on merit and market values, **12½c to $1.00 each.** The range takes in the best practical kinds to be had in this country, and the number of novel color effects is decidedly attractive.

Does it Pay?

Does it pay to advertise in dull seasons? No use answering a question with a theory when facts are at hand—facts like these:

August used to be the dullest month of all the year in the furniture business—now it is the very busiest because advertising turned dullness into activity.

January was formerly a time when men's clothing stores did no business. Now, by advertising, they make record sales.

Right down the list instances can be cited where merchants and manufacturers have turned supposedly dull periods into busy ones.

And they did it by advertising—by newspaper advertising in most instances.

Sitting around cussing the weather won't ring the cash register, but ADVERTISING WILL. Newspaper advertising coupled with good merchandising will drive any dull month from the calendar. Perhaps not at once, but little by little.

Now is the time to increase business for the immediate present and get a flying start for the Fall. Now is the time to make your advertising plan and to begin an aggressive bid for business.

Perhaps the advertising manager of this newspaper can make some suggestions, or if you want information about other cities write to the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers, World Building, New York.

Patronize Those Who Advertise in This Paper.